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MAXWELL MUST DIE.

Gov. Morehouse Refuses Every Request of His Attorneys.

He Declines to Grant One Day to Cable the British Government.

No Chance Given Mr. Brooks to Visit His Son.

The Governor Finally and Positively Refuses to Interfere With the Court's Sentence—Maxwell and Landgraf Will, Therefore, Hang at 6:30 A. M. To-Morrow—Mr. Fauntleroy Remains in Jefferson City Expecting Fuller Instructions From the English Minister—Maxwell Haggard and Broken—An Affecting Scene Between the Prisoner and His Mother and Sister—The Little Chloroformer Expresses His Disappointment—Preparations for the Hanging—Scenes at the Four Courts.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., August 9.—As the close of the arguments in the Maxwell case before the Governor last evening when the Governor said that he would take the matter under advisement until this morning, it seemed that the Governor's opinion as to his duty in the premises had undergone a change while listening to the argument presented by Col. Garesche that he should grant a respite on the request of the English Government. The questions presented by the Governor rather tended in that direction as well as the mere fact of taking time to consider the matter over night. Maxwell's attorneys took the same view of the case. They left the Governor's office hopeful of the morrow's results. At 8 o'clock this morning the Governor, accompanied by his Private Secretary, V. C. Yantis, who had returned during the night from Saline County. Both entered the Capitol together. In about an hour Messrs. Martin, Fauntleroy and Garesche were seen to enter the Governor's office with smiles of hope plainly depicted on their countenances.

THE GOVERNOR'S DECISION.

The Governor then said: "Gentlemen, I have carefully examined and considered the matter and my duty in the premises. I will say further that I can see no reason why I should grant another respite. I do not understand from the request of the British Government for a respite for the purpose of making further inquiry into the case, that the British Government desires to make any inquiry itself. If it so desired to make such an investigation certainly they would have said so, and which I do not understand from the communications from Secretary Bayard. Therefore I decline to grant a further respite."

RESPITE ASKED FOR HIS FATHER'S SAKE.

Mr. Fauntleroy then pleaded with the Governor to grant a respite for thirty days or three weeks to enable Maxwell's father to visit his son, stating that he had been prevented from coming during the present respite on account of his duties in the school-room, which he could not leave until the 1st of August, and that as the British Government had asked for a respite on the 2d of August he had good grounds for hoping that it would be granted. He assured the Governor that he knew it was the father's great desire to see his son before his execution. The Governor hesitated, but said he would consider that application and give them an answer in two hours. At the conclusion of the time all parties appeared again in the Governor's office when the Governor said: "Gentlemen, Mr. Yantis will read you my answer to Secretary Bayard, and I desire now to state that is an answer to your last request as well as it is my final decision.

THE GOVERNOR'S REPLY:

"JEFFERSON CITY, MO., August 9, 1888.

Hon. T. F. Bayard, Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.:

SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of August 2, inclosing a communication from Sir Lionel S. Sackville-West, asking a respite for Maxwell alias Brooks, sentenced to be hanged in St. Louis on the 10th instant. The only reason assigned for this request is the allegation that, "it is as you are aware, sought to obtain a respite for the condemned man, for further inquiry." Nowhere is it stated that the British Government wishes to make any inquiry into this matter; on the contrary, from a careful consideration of the communication, and there being no question of international law involved or suggested, I am led to believe that the request is made in order that the inquiries heretofore prosecuted here may be further extended. Being thoroughly satisfied that all the facts bearing upon my action in the case are fully before me, and well understood by me, I have declined to grant any further respite.

ALBERT P. MOREHOUSE,
Governor of Missouri.

A FINAL REQUEST REFUSED.

Messrs. Fauntleroy and Martin then filed the following application asking that in order that the Governor might fully know the desires of the British Government that he grant a respite for one day or until that Government could cable an answer which the Governor declined to grant. Following is application:

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., August 9, 1888.

To His Excellency, A. P. Morehouse, Governor of Missouri, Jefferson City, Mo.:

SIR.—This morning in refusing the request of the British Government made to Your Excellency through the Secretary of State of our Government, urging you to grant a respite for inquiry into the case of Hugh M. Brooks, now under sentence of death, to be executed upon him to-morrow, Your Excellency gave as a reason, and as your sole reason for refusing that request of the British Government that you did not understand from said request so made to you by the British Government the inquiry for which time is thus asked, was one proposed or desired to be made by the British Government itself. In this we know that you are mistaken. We know that the British Government does desire and proposes to make the inquiry referred to itself. We cannot conceive how any person can form any other opinion or conclusion from the request made to you by the British Government, and we stated to you verbally this morning when Your Excellency announced your refusal, and the reasons therefor, and we suggested to you the urgent propriety and necessity of Your Excellency taking the ready and available means afforded you by the cablegram of insuring on Your Excellency's part the correct and proper understanding of the request and attitude of the British Government and we then urged you orally and earnestly to do so. We now make that same request of you in writing. We implore you not to incur the risk and responsibility of suffering this execution to take place to-morrow upon this misunderstanding on your part of the request and attitude of the British Government. When it is so easy for you to remove and settle all doubt on that head in the manner suggested. We do not desire to and shall not make any comments on this application, for comment and argument cannot add anything to the certainty and obvious propriety of your granting this request. We leave the matter with you. Respectfully yours,

MARTIN & FAUNTLEROY,
Attorneys for Hugh M. Brooks.

THIS BEING REFUSED,

Mr. Fauntleroy informed the Governor that he had cabled the Foreign Secretary in England, giving him the substance of the Governor's decision, and had also telegraphed Minister West and Secretary Bayard, and he hoped a reply would be received some time to-day or to-night and that he wanted to know if the Governor would remain in the city, so that any telegram from them might be answered before the execution. The Governor promised to remain, but stated that he had devoted nearly two weeks to the hearing of this case when he ought to have been away looking after other matters. Fauntleroy thanked the Governor for the patient hearing he had given, and said that whilst he regretted trespassing on his time to the detriment of his private interests, yet he was the Governor, and, as such, official duties demanded the Governor's attention before other matters. The Governor complimented Messrs. Martin and Fauntleroy for the attention they had given their client, when they bade the Governor "good-bye," however, without the usual hand-shaking adieu.

HOPING AGAINST HOPE.

Mr. Martin leaves on the afternoon train for St. Louis, but Mr. Fauntleroy remains to watch after telegrams from Washington or the British Government. When the Governor announced his decision Mr. Garesche, holding his watch in closed hand, said: "It will say no more, because to-day, no more than yesterday, I believe argument to be useless, but the decision implies that the British Government is tried in its request. The refusal denies the right to that Government to be heard, yet it has this right beyond question. There are two parties. The right of a Government to protect its citizens and the right of this State to enforce its laws. The Governor's decision is a refusal to hear their reasons, whether right or wrong. I have done."

WILL HANG AT 6:30 A. M.

The Preparations for the Execution—No Tickets Will be Issued.

The crowd which thronged the corridors of the Four Courts all day was finally driven away by a squad of police and kept out of the building. It is anticipated that the throng will be immense to-morrow morning, but there will be a large number of police officers on hand to keep them away. Men, women and children have been rushing to the building to-day to get permission to see Maxwell and to secure tickets for the hanging to-morrow. They were all refused. No visitors are admitted to see him and no tickets will be issued to the hanging. When Sheriff Harrington was at the Four Courts this morning he said:

"I will not issue a single ticket. Not one above the legal number of witnesses provided by law—fifteen reputable citizens, besides the Coroner's jury and court officials—will be admitted. The members of the press will be cared for in the usual manner, but there will not be a ticket issued."

"When will the hanging take place?"

"We will leave the jail, I expect, at 6:30 in the morning, and the execution will take place a few minutes later."

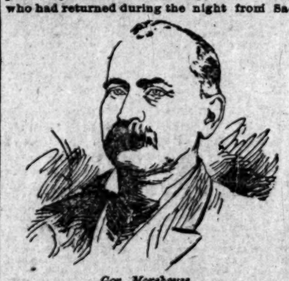
CIRCUIT ATTORNEY CLOVER

was around at the Four Courts building this morning when the news from Jefferson City was received.

"The Governor has done as I expected," he remarked, "although I had considerable doubt on reading the paper this morning. That was because the reports in them all spoke of a respite as probable. I did not think, however, the Governor would interfere unless some proof was produced of Maxwell's innocence."

The condemned man remains hopeful, although he looks worn and talks nervously. He does not appear to be able to realize that he will die. In the next cell to him, the cell from which he was this morning changed to Landgraf. The latter looks even better to-day than on yesterday. His stupid mind does not seem capable of realizing the awful position he is in. There is more color in his face than there has been for years. All day he has been smoking his corn-cob pipe and he has a pleasant smile and kind word for everybody he meets. Father Tihan is also with him for a while to-day. Maxwell, although baptised a Roman Catholic in jail some time ago, has not been to communion since Easter Sunday and has made very little religious preparations for death.

Deputy Sheriffs Moerschel, Hodnett and Wall remained with the condemned man from 6 o'clock last evening until midnight, when they were relieved by Deputies Ticker, Burke and Scully. At 6 o'clock this morning Skidmore, O'Connor and Riordan came on and at noon they were relieved by Colling, Reno and McCormick, who will remain until 6 p. m. Deputies Skidmore and Gubor remained in Maxwell's cell while the mother and sister were there. The watched them closely, as it was feared they might pass something to the prisoner by which he might do away with his life. Their cells were changed, cleaned and searched and themselves searched to insure against any attempt at suicide.



Gov. Morehouse.

MAXWELL RAGGARD AND BROKEN.

He Talks About the Governor's Decision and Wants His Father to Come.

It was after the hour of noon when reporters were admitted to the jail. A representative of the POST-DISPATCH was the first to be ushered into Maxwell's presence. The condemned man was seated in his cell, conversing with Deputy Sheriff Al Collins. He came out as his visitor approached and sat in a chair in front of his cell. He wore a black diagonal Prince Albert coat, with vest to match, dark striped pants, a white shirt and turn-down linen collar. His face was pale, haggard and worn. The mental strain he was under was strongly marked.

THE MAN HAD BROKEN.

"I know you have already learned of the Governor's action," began his caller, "and I suppose it was not what you expected?"

"I have heard of his refusing a respite on the matter presented, but have you any news as to what he has done in regard to granting a respite to enable my father to come here? The telegram my attorneys sent me says that he has that matter still under advisement."

He was informed that his visitor had no news to offer him on that subject, and he then remarked: "You will remember what I said to you a day or two ago about nothing surprising me, and that the only possible way in which I could be surprised was by something resulting as I had anticipated. Well, the remark still holds good. I now have stronger reasons than ever for asserting it."

"But were you not hopeful that you would be respited?"

"I most assuredly was, particularly after I had received that telegram from Mr. Fauntleroy last night. Not only myself but everybody to-day to date I could learn, expected a respite. Under those circumstances any one would be apt to have some hope. I can not understand it. Mr. Fauntleroy telegraphed me last night a very hopeful message. He is anything but a sanguine man, and he must have thought that the Governor was certain to decide in our favor, or he would never have sent the message. He must have been greatly surprised. A newspaper man who called on me last evening seemed to think my chances extremely favorable, although it is the first time he has ever entertained any hope for me. I am sure I cannot understand this man, Gov. Morehouse. What his reasons can be for refusing a respite on such grounds as were presented I am utterly at a loss to imagine. Mr. Kerr, as I understand it, holds that a writ of coram nobis could lie in this case, while Gov. Johnson claims it will not. Now, which is right? I am sure the Governor is right about the origin of the writ, in regard to it being taken from the English common law, but its application is a different matter. I have not read Mr. Kerr's remarks, but I should think that any of the Circuit Courts could call me up for trial under the writ as well as the trial court, as the Criminal Court is a court of co-ordinate jurisdiction with them and Judge Normile is in reality a Circuit Judge, only he has exclusive jurisdiction over criminal practice, whereas the other Circuit Judges attend merely to civil suits."

"DO YOU THINK GOV. MOREHOUSE will grant you a respite to enable your father to reach here?"

"I do not see how he can well refuse it. If he does not do it as a matter of justice he must necessarily as an act of humanity. To refuse would be most inhuman. My father has to conduct the examination of his schools in person. As I understand it this is his imperative duty, and if he does not conduct them he loses over half his income. He has only finished his examinations, I understand, and could not possibly come. He will not be able to sail until Wednesday next. If a respite will be granted at all it must be granted for at least three weeks, as he could not possibly reach here in two weeks."

SCENES AT THE JAIL.

Maxwell Receives the News—Grief of His Mother and Sister.

Maxwell must hang!

This was the ominous word received at the Four Courts this morning shortly after 9 o'clock. It was taken up by every tongue and flashed from lip to lip. In an instant it had traveled over the entire building and all were pronouncing "Maxwell must hang!" The sentence rang in every ear, save that of the man most interested. From him it was kept concealed.

There was a fear he would commit suicide if he knew his doom was sealed and thus cheat the hungry gallows which had waited so long and impatiently for its prey. No one was permitted to see him until he and Landgraf had been thoroughly searched and their cells renovated and changed. Each was to be given the other's cell.

SHERIFF HARRINGTON

had heard the intelligence early and before 10 o'clock was up to see his Chief Deputy at the Four Courts, Joe Harrington, and give him instructions concerning the preparations for and carrying out of the double execution. The Sheriff also had a talk with Jailer Callahan. Then his Chief Deputy walked to the screen of the jail and summoned his subordinates, who were within on the death watch, to him. He told them to immediately search the prisoners thoroughly, to learn what clothing they intend wearing on the morrow and to search it thoroughly. All other clothing was to be removed and new bedding placed in each cell. The jailer would supply the new bedding. In a jiffy the deputies were off to carry out their instructions.

EX-DEPUTY JAILER WATERS

had been admitted to see him just before the news had been received. He remained inside for some time after the news had been announced outside the jail and confirmed. Waters himself had heard it as a rumor just as he entered, but it was not authentic. Maxwell and Waters are old friends and the condemned man desired to see him before he departed life. While Deputy Jailer Waters had been very kind to him and the prisoner did not forget this. Not only was the ex-Deputy kind to him, but he had always sympathized with him and had hoped that some day the little chloroformer would once more tread the earth as a free man.

MAXWELL TERRIBLY CHANGED.

"His hand is like ice. It is cold as death," remarked Waters, as he came out of the jail. "I have never seen such a change in a man. Perhaps I notice it so much because I have not beheld him for so long, but there is certainly a wonderful alteration in his appearance and manner. He is a different man. He has not yet heard the news, but he is anxiously awaiting it."

THE GRIEF OF MOTHER AND SISTER.

Then came the saddest feature of the case. About 10 o'clock Maxwell's mother and sister called at the jailer's office on their regular daily visit to the prisoner. Mr. Callahan had received a telegram for the condemned man from his attorneys at Jefferson City. This the jailer handed to the ladies. As their eyes fell on the sad intelligence they both burst forth into a flood of tears. It was the first time they have given completely away to their grief since they have been here. People in the streets who had heard the news hastened to the Four Courts and the building held more than its wonted number of occupants. The curious swarmed about the rotunda and crowded about the door of the Jailer's office to intrude their vulgar stare on the sacred grief of the mother and sister. The door of the office was closed to give the ladies the privacy which a rude crowd had denied them. Even then people attempted to force their way in and a police officer had to be detailed to keep them back.

FATHER TIHAN.

Maxwell's father confessor, called a half hour later and remained in consultation with the mother and sister, endeavoring to assuage their grief, a task in which he was at least partially successful. But they longed to get inside and talk with the prisoner himself. The deputy sheriffs were still busy cleaning out the cells of the prisoners and until they had finished did not want the ladies admitted. While the search was in progress the little foreigner to whom Jailer Callahan had already shown the news, paced up and down the court of the jail. He was pale and restless. It was nearly 11:30 o'clock when the mother and sister entered. They were escorted by Chief Deputy Joe Harrington. As soon as Maxwell's call had been put in order and everything searched, Father Tihan, who had already visited Maxwell, left the building.

MOTHER AND SON MEET.

The mother and daughter asked as a special favor that they be permitted to go beyond the screen and see their relative inside his cell. Their request was granted and they were taken direct to the cell. With a rush the mother threw her arms about him, and crying "My dear son," kissed him twice in rapid succession. Then the sister embraced him and implanted two affectionate kisses on his lips. Both wept slightly, but it was only momentarily, and they had soon dried their tears. Poor women! They were endeavoring to conceal their grief from him, so he would not suffer an unnecessary pang or sorrow. He was pale and worn, but calm. He returned their embraces, but uttered not a word. It was some moments before he could speak. In fact, the mother opened the conversation by saying:

"I had expected a different result from this appeal to the Governor. I thought the efforts of Mr. Martin and Mr. Fauntleroy would be successful in at least obtaining a respite for you. I cannot understand Gov. Morehouse. If you were in England you would receive justice."

The daughter spoke in the same strain and Maxwell agreed with both. They all discussed Gov. Morehouse, the State of Missouri and the United States, and all united in denouncing them. The mother feels very bad over the injustice that she claims has been done her boy. Before leaving she and the daughter asked the prisoner if he desired his father to come in case the Governor granted a respite for that purpose.

"Yes, I believe it would do good," was his reply.

"Then if the respite is granted," said the sister, "I will cable him in my own name to come."

After remaining about three-quarters of an hour the ladies left, the Sheriff promising to give them a final interview with the prisoner at 4 o'clock this afternoon. They cannot sail before next Wednesday and will be here to-morrow when Hugh expiates his crime on the gallows.

HOW THEY HEARD THE NEWS.

It appears that the news was broken to them by the Coroner's Clerk, John F. Ryan, just before the ladies were shown to Maxwell's telegram by Jailer Callahan. The ladies had stopped Mr. Ryan just outside the Jailer's office to speak with him. They noticed the unusual crowd about the corridor and the air of excitement. Instinct told them something was up.

"Is there any news from Jefferson City, Mr. Ryan?" asked the mother.

"There is Mrs. Brooks, and it is bad."

"Surely you do not mean that the Governor has refused to grant a respite?"

"Yes, Mrs. Brooks, that is what he has done. All hope is now gone, and you had better prepare yourself for the worst."

"Oh, but, Mr. Ryan, I can not see them murder my boy," exclaimed the fond mother in distraction. And Mr. Ryan, who held her hand, felt her quiver with emotion. The ladies were led into the jailer's office, where Mr. Callahan assured them the news was only too true, and handed them the following telegram:

Hugh M. Brooks, care of Jailer Callahan:

Commutation refused; respite refused on grounds presented; will considering whether to grant time for your father to come. JOHN I. MARTIN.
Jefferson City, Mo., August 9.

MAXWELL BLANCHES BUT CHEERS UP.

It was on reading this message that the unfortunate woman and her daughter made their first public display of grief and burst into tears. This is the same telegram Jailer Callahan shortly afterward brought in to the prisoner. Before he did so, however, Father Tihan had gone in and told the condemned man the sad message his attorney had sent. Maxwell blanched slightly as he heard it, but quickly recovered himself and remarked that he had thought the news would be more cheerful. He remained a while with the priest, and when the latter had left Mr. Callahan brought in the telegram. Maxwell read it and placed it in his vest pocket without the slightest emotion. The news was then old to him. His voice trembled and was husky, however, when he met his mother and sister, but after they had exchanged a few words he was himself again. To the Deputy Sheriffs he expressed himself as still hopeful that Gov. Morehouse would grant a respite for his father to come here. In fact he did not see how he could well refuse it.

LANDGRAF'S LETTER.

He Promises His Attorney He Will Die Like a Man.

Mr. S. S. Bass, Landgraf's attorney, called upon his client this afternoon to bid him good-bye. He entered the cell where the prisoner and his guard were and approaching the condemned man said: "Well, Landgraf I have come to tell you good-bye. I want to assure you that I have exhausted every legal means of saving you, but the worst has come. You will have to meet your fate, but I want you to bear up and meet it like a man."

"I will, Mr. Bass," responded Landgraf, "I will. I wrote you a letter. Mr. Knox, the guard, has it. He will give it to you. Good by."

Landgraf turned to his dinner, which he seemed to relish and his attorney left the cell. Mr. Knox went to a cell a short distance away and took from his coat the following letter which, from the date, seems to have been written some days ago. The punctuation and capitalization are Landgraf's:

ST. LOUIS (MO.) CITY JAIL,
August 3, 1888.

Mr. S. S. Bass, Esq.:

DEAR SIR—After your kind visit this morning, it comes to me suddenly that in all the long time of my trouble I have never really expressed to you my feelings of gratitude toward you for all your kindness and all your trouble—all your endeavors for me. I never could express to you in words my thanks, so let me try by these few words to assure you that I deeply and sincerely thank you for all you have done for me. If it had been in my power to pay you at least in some little way for the time and money you have spent in my case, still for all that I could never thank you enough for your kindness, but you know my circumstances and also that it was utterly impossible for me to pay you any money. For all that you stood by me to the last, and till my dying moment, I shall carry with me the feeling of deep gratitude for my friend, Mr. S. S. Bass, attorney-at-law, and may God bless you and reward you. I remain yours respectfully, HENRY LANDGRAF.

Landgraf's brother, a steady and humble, but honest mechanic, came up from Carondelet to-day and with the assistance of Mr. Bass made arrangements to obtain possession of the body after the execution and bury it.

ROBERT GARRETT.

The Condition of the Ex-Railroad Magnate Greatly Improved.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—There was a decided change for the better yesterday in the condition of Robert Garrett. In the morning he wrote several letters and attended to matters of business. He also received many callers. Austin Corbin personally offered the use of his private suite of rooms at the Oriental Hotel or the use of his cottage near Babylon, L. I. E. O. Sleete of Middletown, also offered Mr. Garrett the free use of his cottage in Monmouth County, New Jersey. The other callers included Henry Clews, H. Bleman Duval, President of the Florida Navigation Co. and a personal friend of Mr. Garrett's, John Pendir, General Counsel for the Erie Railroad Co., and Charles G. Peters.

E. A. Crane, Mr. Garrett's private secretary, said: "It has been stated that the waters of Richfield Springs did Mr. Garrett serious injury. Such is not the fact. Everything was as comfortable as could be, and Mr. Earl, the proprietor of the New American House, placed at the disposal of Mr. Garrett the best rooms in the house. In regard to Mr. Garrett's condition, he is merely suffering from nervousness in consequence of over-exertion and injudicious bathing at Richfield Springs. The resident physician prescribed warm baths, and Mr. Garrett took a cold plunge bath. In other respects the visit to Richfield Springs was beneficial. The story about his alleged insanity is much exaggerated. The fact that he received many personal friends to-day and attended to a little business, proves that all he needs is a little rest and quiet and as soon as a cottage has been selected, his horses and household effects will be removed from Mr. Garrett's house at Uplands, Baltimore."

Dr. Partridge, the Brevoort House physician, said that there was no name that would describe Mr. Garrett's complaint. It is not nervous prostration because Mr. Garrett was not physically prostrated; it was mere nervousness resulting from over-exertion. All that was needed was relief from business cars, and rest and quiet for the season.

The condition of Mr. Garrett continues to give satisfaction to his family and physicians. He rested well last night, sleeping for several hours. To-day his family will select the place Mr. Garrett will be removed to in a day or two.

The Saratoga Races.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 9.—First race, special weights, one mile and seventy yards—Prose won, with Hyperion second and Lelex third. Time, 1:49.

Second race, Virginia stakes, five furlongs—Caliente won, Button second, Blue Rock third. Time, 1:03.

Third race, handicap, one mile and a quarter—Wary won, with Hypocrite, second, and Daruna, third. Time, 2:15½.

Fourth race, purse $400, three-quarters of a mile—Fabulance first, Bellwood second, Amos third. Time, 1:16¾.

Fifth race, Trouble stakes, handicap steeplechase, two miles and a quarter—Monte Cristo won; Willie Palmer, second; Killarney, third. Time, 4:45.

Court of Criminal Correction.

In the Court of Criminal Correction this morning, Judge Noonan presiding, Daniel Sullivan pleaded guilty to a charge of petit larceny and was sentenced to thirty days in the Work-house; Charles Degge pleaded guilty to petit larceny and was sentenced to ten days in jail, but the execution was afterwards stayed. Peter Fisher was up on a charge of assault with intent to kill on David Francis, and his case was dismissed for want of prosecution.

WAITING AND WATCHING

MR. BLAINE'S FRIENDS ON THE LOOKOUT FOR HIS SHIP.

No Tidings of the Steamer City of New York—Informal Receptions on the Steamer Sloan—Gov. Lace of Michigan Renominated To-Day—The Twelfth Indiana District Convention.

NEW YORK, August 9.—The ship-news office of the Associated Press at the Battery was thronged to suffocation all this morning. Everybody there had the stereotyped question on the tip of his tongue, "Is the City of New York reported?" The operator in charge was hoarse from answering the question yesterday and this morning, and hung the following sign: "There is no news of the City of New York." The steamboat Sam Sloan, with the Republican Club of New York City and their guests, started down the bay again this morning to wait the coming of James G. Blaine, on the steamer City of New York. It was announced that the Sloan would start promptly at 7 o'clock, but as the City of New York had not yet been sighted there was no necessity for sticking strictly to this programme, and it was 7:50 o'clock when the start was made. There were not as many people on board as there were yesterday, but still the boat was comfortably filled. Among those it carried were Mr. and Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., Mr. Walker Blaine, Mrs. A. L. Conger of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trautman, Mr. R. C. Kerens and Miss Katie Kerens of St. Louis; Wm. Walter Phelps, Murat Halstead, ex-United States District Attorney A. W. Tenny, J. P. Foster, Jerome Deasy, Delegate from the Irish Republican Association of California; Gen. Adam E. King and other representatives of almost every State in the Union. Instead of Cappa's Seventh Regiment Band, there was present the Baltimore Light Infantry Band, who stirred up with lively strains the still drowsy passengers. When the Sloan reached Quarantine Station, it was learned that nothing had yet been seen of the City of New York.

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A carrier pigeon arrived from the Sam Sloan about 9 o'clock and under its wing was the following information:

"The Sloan ran out through the Narrows and down toward Sandy Hook. It was soon joined by the tug Lewis Pulver carrying the Blaine Club of Chicago with their big firecrackers, flags and Harrison hats. The two vessels cruised about for some time, keeping a sharp look-out for the City of New York, but seeing nothing to reward their watchfulness. After a time the Pulver drew alongside the Sloan and made fast. The majority of the Chicago men clambered on board the Sloan. They received a warm welcome from the members of the Republican Club. Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., and the ladies accompanying her spent most of their time in the saloon, where they held an informal reception.

Michigan Republican Convention.

DETROIT, Mich., August 9.—The Republican State Convention yesterday adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning, but not a half dozen delegates were to be seen in the Detroit Rink at that time. The Tenth and Eleventh Districts were the late ones and not a member of these delegations had appeared when all the other delegates were in their seats. It was generally understood that the Committee on Resolutions was in a tangle and work was held off awaiting their pleasure, another meeting having been called this morning. None of its members were present when at 10 o'clock Chairman Watkins called the convention to order. The Committee on Credentials reported accredited delegates present from all counties except Gogebic and Iron, Upper Peninsula. The Committee on Permanent Organization reported the names of Hon. G. W. Farr of Grand Haven for Permanent Chairman, and Col. E. M. Irish of Kalamazoo for permanent Secretary. The permanent officers were escorted to the platform and Chairman Farr returned thanks to the convention for the honor conferred upon him. In the meantime the Committee on Resolutions had come in, but it was understood that the platform would not be introduced until after the nominations had been made.

LUCE NOMINATED.

Judge Williams of Allegan, nominations for Governor being in order, presented the name of Cyrus G. Luce in a speech. "I have to make," he said, "is that he is honest, competent, faithful, and he is not afraid of sheep." On motion of a delegate from the Fifth, Luce's nomination was made unanimous by a rising vote, and three cheers were given. Maj. Graves of Lenawee, Williams of Allegan, and Hubbell of Houghton, were appointed a committee to notify Gov. Luce and bring him before the convention. James S. McDonald, for Lieutenant-Governor; Gil Rosmun, for Secretary of State; George L. Maltz, for State Treasurer, H. H. Aplin for Auditor-General and Roscoe D. Dix, State Land Commissioner, all present incumbents of the offices named, were unanimously renominated by acclamation, but a ballot was directed for Attorney-General. Dr. McNabo of Newaygo placed Hon. Edwards E. Edwards of Newaygo in nomination. At this stage of the proceedings Gov. Luce came in and was escorted to the platform by the committee. In a few brief remarks Gov. Luce acknowledged the honor conferred upon him and pledged his best efforts to faithfully discharge the duties as Governor and vigilantly guard the best interests of the State if the people see fit to elect him. James McMillan was also invited to a seat on the platform amid a hearty outburst of applause. Burton Parker, Stephen Trowbridge and Philip Padgham were then placed in nomination for Attorney-General.

The Twelfth Indiana District.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

KENDALLVILLE, Ind., August 9.—The Twelfth District Democratic Congressional Convention was called to order this morning by Chairman G. W. Leroy of Fort Wayne. The district comprises the counties of Allen, Dekalb, Steuben, Whitley, La Grange and Noble. E. B. Noyes of Steuben County was elected permanent chairman, and Col. Andrew J. Moynahan of Fort Wayne permanent secretary. After appointing committees on credentials and resolutions the convention adjourned till 2 o'clock. There are six candidates in the field and the fight will be a hot one.

LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEERS.

Two Preliminary Meetings With Closed Doors Held To-Day.

The engineers originally intended to hold their meetings at the Laclede Hotel, but owing to the large number of delegates, it was decided to meet in Druid's Hall, where Chief Arthur called the conference to order at 10:30. Little beyond organization was accomplished this morning, no general discussion taking place. At 12:30 the meeting adjourned until 2 p. m. During the recess a number of private confrences took place, the result of which was carefully concealed from the public at large, but it was generally understood that a strong sentiment in favor of consolidation was expressed at most of the gatherings. It is an open secret that the Burlington engineers are not at one with their chief, they believing that they are on the eve of success, while Arthur is by no means so sanguine. A decided though suppressed feeling of dissatisfaction with the course of Chief Arthur has manifested itself in certain quarters, but seems to be, principally confined to the younger men, those who have worked longer under his rule expressing the utmost confidence in the wisdom of any course that he may deem best to pursue. Nowhere was there any suggestion of surrender to the Burlington to be heard, and the most casual observer must have been convinced that something beyond discussion of the strike was in the wind.

At 3 o'clock the meeting was again convened and several committees appointed. Another meeting will be held to-morrow, and it is likely that Saturday will not witness the completion of the work on hand.

Seriously Injured.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CARMI, Ill., August 9.—Rufus Willis, a young man of this place, in attempting to board the C., V. & C. north-bound passenger train last evening, at the railroad bridge here, was thrown from the train and off the bridge, a distance of about fifteen feet, breaking his jaw-bone in two places. He was unconscious all night, but is recovering this morning.

AMONG THE BROKERS.

An Active Market—Stocks Sold and Prices Obtained To-Day.

The mining market was decidedly active this morning, with prices generally stronger.

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'Frisco was in strong demand and rose in price. The market opened at 70 bid, but no transfers were made until 71¼ was reached, at which figure 100 shares sold. At 72½ several large blocks were disposed of, 1,400 shares bringing this price, the market closing with offers at 73¼.

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Mountain Key steadily rose, opening at $1.70 bid and closing at $2.10, with no sales. More than $7,000 has been taken from the mine within the past week.

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A number of stockholders in the Cariboo have signified their willingness to take bonds in proportion to their stock, but it is not yet certain that the amount required, $30,000, can be secured. Unless the necessary funds are forthcoming, work on the mine will have to be abandoned. The stock was 13⅝c bid; offered at 15.

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It is reported that the owners of the Mascotte have effected a consolidation with the other properties on Seaton Hill and that the stock of the new company will soon be placed upon the market.

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The following report from Black Oak for the ten days ending July 31 was received to-day: "Stope No. 1 in level No. 1 is looking well; average width of vein, 4 feet of good milling ore. No. 3 stope north, same level, is giving good results; average width of vein, 16 inches, carrying a good deal of fine galena and some iron sulphurets. No. 3 stope north, level No. 2, has greatly improved since last report. The raise from south level No. 1 has also improved, the quality showing spots of galena and iron sulphurets. No. 3 level north drift has again split, but nevertheless there is quartz on both foot and hanging walls. New shaft is now timbered 54 feet, and two more sets of timbers will clear the bad ground so that progress will be more rapid;" 300 shares of the stock sold at 31¼.

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The report of the recent strike in the Bremen revived that stock. Bids rose from 2½c to 6c, but no sales were made, as the lowest price asked was 20c.

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A sale of a mining claim in a part of the country hitherto supposed to be destitute of mineral was completed yesterday. The mine is a gold property located in the State of Maryland, about twelve miles north of Washington, D. C., and is said to assay very high. The vein was followed from North Carolina through Virginia, and finally located on a farm of 187 acres. Yesterday afternoon a syndicate of St. Louis gentlemen agreed to purchase the property for $100,000 if the vein proved to be as represented, and a forfeit has been put up. On Saturday next Messrs. J. Rich, J. J. Henry and S. Mayer, accompanied by several others, and two well known experts leave for the East to examine the property. The mine is to be christened the Maryland.

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Rosalia was offered at 20, 17½ bid; 100 Golden Era sold at 25; West Granite was 12½ bid; Rena was offered at 11¾; 2½ was bid for Jumbo; 100 Concepcion brought 2½; Grey Eagle was 4¼ bid, 5 asked; 100 Pat Murphy sold at 36¼; 25 was bid for Wire Patch; San Pedro was 33¼ bid; 200 Gold Run sold at 10; and the stock was after words offered at 8; Silver Bell was offered at 50; Buckskin was 9 bid, 10 asked.

Obituary.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—Camille C. Roumage died of heart-disease at his home, No. 456 West Twenty-third street, yesterday. He was born in this city on June 22, 1820, and spent the whole of his life here. His parents were French Huguenots. During the first twenty-five years of his business career he was a partner in a large mercantile importing establishment. He then became a stock broker, being the head of the firm of C. C. Roumage & Co. About three months ago he was obliged to give up his business on account of the heart difficulty which finally resulted in his death.

A Divided Delegation.

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Arrested for Highway Robbery.

Officer Kennedy arrested Daniel Rube and George Hites in Cheltenham last night on a charge of being the men who held up Alex McDonald on August 3, and robbed him of $6 in money and a pocket-knife. Rube and Hites worked with McDonald at the smelting-works at Cheltenham and held him up in the stone yard on Walnut near Eleventh street. McDonald took out a warrant to-day against the men charging them with highway robbery.

How Some Kings Died.

Henry I. of gluttony.
Edward VI. of a decline.
Charles I. on the scaffold.
Richard III. was killed in battle
Henry VIII. of carbuncles, fat and fury.
George II. as he had lived—a madman.
George IV. of gluttony and drunkenness.
Henry VII. wasted away, as a miser ought.
James I. of drinking and the effects of vice.
Charles II. suddenly, it is said, of apoplexy.
Edward V. was strangled in the Tower by his uncle, Richard III.
William Rufus died the death of the poor stags which he hunted.
Henry II. of a broken heart, occasioned by the bad conduct of his children.
George I. "from drunkenness, which his physicians politely called an apoplectic fit.
William III. of consumptive habits of body and from the stumbling of his horse.
Edward III. of dotage, and Richard II. of starvation—the reverse of George IV.
Henry VI. in prison, by means known then only to his jailer, and now only known in heaven.
William the Conqueror from enormous fat, from drink, and from the violence of his passions.
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HERE ARE MORE BIG LIES.

ALL ENTERED FOR THE $20 PRIZE OFFERED BY THE "POST-DISPATCH."

The Little Old Man Who Kept the Chestnut Store—A Monster Pumpkin—Mosquitoes in the Sunken Lands—A Leg Cut Off by a Cyclone—Other Contributions to the Liars' Tourney.

A few more of the lies entered for the prize in the Liars' Tourney are printed to-day. Many of the lies sent in are entirely too long. The shorter the lie or the story in which it is enwrapped, the better. Competitors will please bear this in mind, particularly if they wish to see their efforts printed in the POST-DISPATCH. The prize is $20 in gold and the last lies must reach the POST-DISPATCH office not later than noon of Saturday, August 18. The name of the winner will be announced in the SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH of August 19.

The Story of Pike A. Quad.

It was early this spring that I found myself walking idly about the streets of B——, an antiquated city in Southern Colorado. I had been compelled to stop off there in order to make connections with an Eastern train, and as I had a few spare hours I used them to advantage in taking in the town and looking up on the different styles of Western architecture. Nothing of interest attracted my eye and I was becoming disgusted with the dreary, monotonous sight of dilapidated buildings and wild and unwashed natives, when I suddenly turned a sharp corner and ran against a sign-post. Of course it would be the most natural thing in the world to run against a post set in the middle of the sidewalk, and I am not to blame for trying to knock down some man's property. I gazed long and earnestly at the wording of that sign—it was enough to make any man gaze, for in letters rusty with the storms of the lately ended winter, it read:

PIKE A. QUAD,
ASSORTER OF CHESTNUTS.

I could not for the life of me get the full meaning of that sign, and I read it again, but with no better results than at first. Finally I concluded to investigate and turning to the door of the building from which the mysterious sign swung, I opened it and walked in. I found myself in a large, deep room. Nothing could I see but a lot of little boxes, coffin-shaped and dusty, piled up on each side as high as the ceiling. A chair or two was here and there, and that was the only thing in the way of the furniture line in the room. No human being was in sight, and I wondered if I had stumbled into some old unused vault. The peculiar shape of those boxes struck me forcibly, and I was just going to investigate, when a slight cough caused me to turn. There stood a little, dried-up old man. He had a long, red nose, was hollow-cheeked, and his silvery hair fell in profusion about his shoulders, while the piercing, small black eyes peered out from under his shaggy brows. On his head was a tight-fitting skullcap and a shabby-looking dressing gown fell to his feet, which were covered with old carpet slippers. Heavens! how I looked horrible, and in my amazement I could almost imagine I smelled brimstone. I looked at him and he looked at me for some time, and finally he seemed satisfied with his observations and, making a low bow, he said in a squeaky voice:

"Howdy?"

"How are you, sir?" said I, as I looked upon this queer individual.

"You are a newspaper man, are you not?" he said, smiling and displaying one solitary shining tooth.

"I am, sir," I answered, wondering all the time how he could have sized me up so perfectly.

"Be seated," he said, waving me to a chair into which I sank. "You see I can spot you fellows by the hunted, hungry look upon your faces. The minute you turned your face to me I plainly saw that you were some country editor in search of something new and startling. I am glad you came in, for I can show you a thing or two of which you have been heretofore totally ignorant."

Seeing that the old man was a harmless individual, I gained courage enough to offer him a cigar with the request that he would enlighten my ignorance by telling me what the meaning of his sign-board. He grasped the cigar, lit it and puffed till smoke passed from his eyes, ears and nose in a cloud. I asked him then what those little coffins contained.

"Well," he answered, "my sign reads 'Collector of Chestnuts,' and there is where I keep them—in those coffins. My sign used to read 'Collector of Jokes,' but in these days of modern improvement I was compelled to change it to 'chestnuts.' Of course you will smile and think me crazy, but I tell you that right here in this room is where all the leading newspapers in the land get their supply of witty paragraphs. When I started here years and years ago I was discouraged, but now my business has grown to such dimensions that I have all I can do to supply the demand."

"How do you conduct your business?" I asked, becoming interested.

"Whenever a new joke comes out I seize it and store away in its little coffin, and in after years, when it has faded from the memory of all I put it on the market. It goes the rounds and seems as fresh as ever. But alas, there are some that I have never been able to capture, some that will never cease to be before the people. All these coffins contain jokes that I first started on, but have some in an underground vault that were collected in my infancy. I am now 406 years old, and you can imagine that my collection is of great value.

"Now, you will see that this joke," said he, taking up a box and wiping the dust from it off on his pants, "is very old and rusty. It is labeled 'The Mother-in-Law.' I prize it highly and sell a great many duplicates of it."

He opened the box and held it before me. I could see a bunch of shaggy, dusty hairs, and that was all.

"Why so much hair?" I asked.

"This joke, like all the rest, has whiskers," he answered, closing the box and rising from his chair.

I groaned in agony, but he bade me follow him into the dark, noisome depths of a cavern. Here he lighted a tallow candle, and waving his hand toward a pile of coffin-shaped boxes, he said: "Read the labels." Bending over the little coffins I blew the dust away, and one by one I read the tags on them. There was "The Boy and the Green Apple" "The Kicking Mule," "Bustle," "Chewing Gum," "Onions," "Banana Peel" "The Cook and the Kerosene," "Didn't Know it Was Loaded," "Toy Pistol," "Chicago Girls' Feet," "Church Oyster," "The Woman in the Street Car," and "The Plumber," and "The Ice Man."

I fainted dead away, and when I regained consciousness I was lying in the room I had at first entered, with the old man standing over me with a coffin labelled "The Mule."

"This joke," he said, as he helped me to my feet, "is said to have originated while old Noah was driving a fractious mule into the ark. The mule wouldn't budge, so Noah whirled his tail. Noah sailed through the air and sat down on a porcupine to collect his thoughts, and when he had extracted his pants from the little animal of needles he smiled a wicked smile, and from that day to this the mule has been the butt of every joke in the country."

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"An Obliging Zephyr."

The greatest experience of my life was met with in the jungles of South America. My comrade, who was a doctor, and myself had been hunting and exploring in these regions some two weeks and were making preparations to pursue our way southward. Our journey for the next six hours would be on the bayou and all of our paraphernalia was stored on the boat. Doc was seated in the boat while I was standing knee-deep in the marshy waters trying to haul in a bird of beautiful plumage I had just shot, when I felt my left leg pierced with what seemed to me a thousand poisoned spears. So intense was the pain that I swooned. When I recovered consciousness some few minutes later I was lying on dry land with my friend's horror-stricken countenance bending over me.

"Old man, it's hard lines for you," he said, "that was the most poisonous bite you could get."

He was a physician and he told me just the situation I was in. He knew that my limb must be sacrificed in order to save my life, and if it was not done directly mortification would set in and I was a goner. There was no hope for help. Doc had no instruments with him, and the nearest habitation was some five miles through torrid fields. Must I rot like a dog? What was worse, a storm was coming, one of those fierce tropical hurricanes. A rumbling noise preceded from dark, copper-colored clouds in the distance. The trees commenced to writhe, and we realized with horror that a cyclone was close upon us. We could see it now as it advanced, and my practiced eye told me that we were just out of its range. In fact just about one foot out. Then it was that a thought struck me. The poison of the deadly reptile was entering my blood, and I knew that what was done must be done quickly. I made my plans known to Doc, who instantly placed me in such a position that I could draw up my wounded limb, while he held the left one extended full length into the range of the cyclone. On it came, swifter and swifter it rushed on, my eyes as it swept up to us, and with horrible minute directness carried my leg off about six inches above the knee. I saw part of me whirled into the distance. I realized then that my leg was saved and then I lost consciousness. In a week my leg had healed and Doc swears it was the neatest amputation he ever witnessed. Yours truly,

UMSLOFOGASS.

"Skeeters in the Sunk Lands."

"Yes," said a member of the Bald Knob Rod and Gun Club a few days since, "we do have a few skeeters on our club grounds on the lower end of Tyronza Lake, close to Earl Station. They are so large one of 'em can whip a dog and two can hold a man down and butcher him should he fail to get help. One of the club was out a few days ago on the lake and went ashore to rest and stretch his legs. He left his gun, a fine hammerless breech-loader in the boat. Looking around he saw a large black bear carefully examining the gun. Guess it was the first hammerless gun he had ever seen. Just then up stepped a large mosquito, whose voice was like the sound of many blizzards

"Gim me that gun," said he to the bear.

"Wait till I look at it," said bruin.

Slap—bang! went a sound like one of Krupp's 100-tonners.

"Ouh! Ouhr! Rouhr!" said the bear, as he was knocked across the lake.

The skeeter picked up the gun and, taking out the shells, pitched the gun far out into the lake. This made Mike Garvin, the owner of the gun, mad and he went to camp to get three or four of his pards, all armed with 50-caliber Winchesters, who opened on his 'skeeter-ship. After a long and heavy half-day's fight they killed the skeeter. Some of the boys cut out a piece of his steak and had it cooked. There were four bullets in the piece and they melted before the meat was cooked. The gravy was so tough it broke some of the boys' teeth out. That mosquito bill would weigh 10,000 pounds and the size of his track was forty miles around. That 'skeeter had a hollow tooth that 'd hold a ton of corn. Uncle Sam took it himself to make a set of fog-horns.

One of the club was run into a hollow tree twelve feet through a few days ago by the skeeters, who kept punching their bills through at him. He would as fast clinch them with a sledge-hammer. Pretty soon so many were made fast to the tree that they pulled it up, roots and all, and flew off with the tree, and they've got their baby 'skeeters all hatched. The club will recognize in this letter their old friend and club-house keeper,

THE SWAMP ANGEL.

The Populated Pumpkin.

While every one else is telling lies I will try to tell the truth I was born in the State of Illinois and so was my father; we have never lived out of it. When I was about 10 years old, we lived upon a farm in Florida, near the St. John River. The soil was so fertile that whatever was planted in it, kept on growing forever. Father concluded to plant an acre of ground in pumpkins. Out of the acre planted, only one grew. It grew so fast that the one vine covered half the county, and people living ten or fifteen miles all around us had all the pumpkins they could use.

By the time they were large enough to eat we had a hog and six pigs, which had strayed away, and we could not find them anywhere. We searched vainly for some time, when one day it occurred to me to cross the river. I started down looking for a place to cross, and found that the pumpkin vine had grown across the river, so large and strong that it would easily bear my weight. (I then weighed about 200 pounds.) I walked safely across, and following up the vine, I came to a valley lying between two steep hills. Here I found a pumpkin so large that it would cover at least a half acre of ground and completely closing up the valley. Seeing no way to get around, I concluded to tunnel it. When about half way through I heard a noise, but continued to tunnel. What do you think I saw? The hog and six pigs. They had crossed upon the vine before the pumpkin started to grow, and it grew so fast that they could not get around it, and had started to eat their way through to the river to get a drink. I got them out all right, and took them safely home by the way of the vine bridge.

It being late in the fall, we started to haul the pumpkin across the river. We employed twenty teams and a hundred men for two months and only got one-half of it over before the weather grew freezing cold.

That was twenty years ago, and it froze so hard that winter that the other half of that pumpkin has not thawed out yet. L. A. P.

East St. Louis, Ill.

An Editorial Effort.

My paper, the Greenwood (Miss.) *Enterprise*, has ten times the circulation of the New York WORLD, and its editorials are more wildly sought after than any other journal published.

Yours fraternally, WILL COWAN.

P. S.—The above is to capture that $20 prize for the most accomplished liar. Didn't I get it? W. C.

A Stalwart Son.

Once upon a time there was a young man about 20 who was very strong. On one occasion he stole a very large bag of oats from his father. The latter, however, saw the act and followed him up the road. The lad sat down for a rest, and the father coming behind stealthily sat on the bag. The young lad shouldered the bag again and walked home, when to his surprise and astonishment he saw his father sitting on it. Such was his strength he did not know he had given the old man a free ride.

SUGAR PLUM.

Clinched the Lie.

A man was trying to see what a big lie he could tell, so one day he told another man that he drove a nail through the sky, and the other man said: "Yes; I went to the other side and clinched it." LITTLE RICHEY.

A Palpable Lie.

Our next President will be, without any doubt, Benjamin Harrison of Indiana. If this is not the biggest lie and worth the first prize I give up. EUGENE STRENE.

A Genuine Novelty.

From the Chicago Herald.

"Gath" is to write a campaign biography of Candidate Morton. An absolutely truthful campaign biography of a political candidate will be an interesting novelty.

SHERIDAN.

ARRIVAL OF THE GENERAL'S REMAINS AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Progress of the Funeral Train—Brief Stoppages at Various Places—Catholic Memorial Services to Be Held in St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York—Gen. Sheridan and Dr. O'Reilly.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., August 9.—Conductor E. E. Mason took charge of the funeral train from Hartford. At that place Mayor Rotsen personally visited the train, and, although it was nearly 1 o'clock in the morning, quite a crowd had gathered. After leaving Hartford the crowds at the stations passed disappeared almost entirely. At 5:10 the special train bowled into the yard at Harlem bridge. The train was cut in two here and the cars tracked side by side on the steamer Maryland, which was to take them to Jersey City. The Maryland steamed silently by the busy city, exciting very little attention. No notice was taken of the funeral boat at the navy yard, nor at Governor's Island. From the decks of the Maryland could be seen the flags at half-mast all over the city. The boat steamed into the docks at Jersey City at 7:35 a. m. and the funeral train was hauled off and made up again. Mrs. Sheridan bears the fatigue well, having passed a reasonably comfortable night. She has hard work to control her emotion at times, but she bears up bravely.

The funeral train from this city will be special to Washington, making no stops except, if necessary, for wood and water. A special funeral car has been prepared by New York people for the reception and transportation of Gen. Sheridan's remains to Washington, but Col. Binns refused to take it as he desired no change of cars in which the body reposed. The train will reach Washington at 2:30 o'clock. It left Jersey City at 8:20 a. m.

A wheel mechanic named John Smith, engaged in testing the car-wheels of the funeral train, was crushed by being thrown against the pillars of the Maryland.

Catholic Memorial Services.

NEW YORK, August 9.—Some leading Catholic gentlemen of New York have been talking over the propriety of honoring the memory of the late Gen. Sheridan by holding a service in the chief church of the city. No fitter place could be found than the magnificent Cathedral on Fifth avenue. In St. Patrick's Cathedral the funeral ceremonies of the Catholic Church are seen to the best advantage. The gentlemen referred to recognize the immortal services which Gen. Sheridan has rendered to his country. His name ills one of the most glorious pages in the history of America, and he was one of the most devoted sons of the Catholic Church. A committee is now appointed to wait upon His Grace Archbishop Corrigan, to seek his co-operation and to authorize a requiem mass at the Cathedral. Steps have already been taken to make the ceremonial all that the occasion demands and the metropolis of America will do honor to itself in the honors it will pay to the memory of the illustrious Catholic soldier. It is possible that in Chicago, Detroit, Baltimore and other leading cities similar service will be held on the same day, in fact, that the event will be distinctly national.

Passed Through Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., August 9.—The funeral train bearing the remains of the late Gen. Sheridan to his last resting-place in Washington passed through this city just before noon to-day in an absolutely quiet manner, and the passage was without a single incident. The fact that the train did not enter the regular station of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the entire ignorance of the people as to where the change of engines and the inspection of the train would be made, served a good purpose in giving the family of the deceased hero, and the funeral party, the much desired quiet and absence of demonstration. The train of five cars, in charge of Conductor Branson, passed Germantown Junction at 10:40 and reached Gray's Ferry, where the change of engines and crews was made at 11:05. There were not twenty-five people at the latter place, which was the only stop, and these were mostly children. As the train came to a standstill the guard of honor stood at parade rest on the platforms, and inside the car, which contained the casket, and it required but five minutes to make a thorough inspection of the train and engine and to oil the latter, when the train had again resumed its sad journey. Roadmaster of Engines Asa O. Denio, who has been an engineer for thirty-five years, mounted the cab of engine 98, and will hold the throttle until the train reaches Washington, which will be at about 3 o'clock, the run being ordered to be made in three hours and forty minutes.

Like the crew which brought the train into the city, the out-going crew were selected from among those who had seen service in the field with the dead General. Baggage-master Colwell, while he did not see any army service, was selected for this occasion by reason of his having served in a similar capacity when the remains of Charles Sumner were brought from Washington on their way to Boston. Both engines, Nos. 95 and 53, were tastefully, though not elaborately, decorated with the emblems of mourning and presented a beautiful although somber appearance.

Dr. O'Reilly and Gen. Sheridan.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—In speaking of the unremitting devotion of Dr. O'Reilly to his distinguished patient an intimate friend of the Sheridan family said to the POST-DISPATCH correspondent yesterday: "It is not generally known that before the General's death he called Dr. O'Reilly to his bedside and in a few words in which he feelingly expressed his appreciation of his devoted attention, offered him an appointment on his personal staff, with the rank of Colonel. Dr. O'Reilly was much moved, but, as soon as he could find words to express himself, told the General it would be impossible to accept the appointment. He felt that if he should accept he would render himself liable to severe criticism. It would be said, he insisted, that he has used his influence and confidential relations as physician of the patient to secure the honor.

Gen. Sheridan replied that whatever criticism might be passed upon the appointment would reflect solely upon himself, and that, as he expressed it, his shoulders were broad enough to stand it. Dr. O'Reilly expressed himself as deeply gratified for the offer, but adhered to his decision and gently but firmly insisted that the General should not allude to the matter again. Gen. Sheridan was at first much disappointed, but afterwards remarked: "O'Reilly may be right. He's an almighty good fellow, anyway."

The President's Order.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—The following executive order was issued this afternoon:

As a mark of respect to the memory of Gen. Sheridan, the President directs that the several executive departments in the city of Washington be closed and all public business at the National Capitol be suspended on Saturday, the 11th instant, the day of the funeral.

By direction of the President.

DANIEL S. LAMONT,
Private Secretary.

Stopped at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Md., August 9.—The train reached Baltimore at 2 p. m., and stopped to allow Sisters Justiana and Urban to disembark and proceed to the Convent of St. Secour, as they had decided not to proceed further with the funeral party. A large gathering was at the Charles Street Station to do honor to the dead soldier.

In Washington.

WASHINGTON, D.C., August 9.—The funeral train bearing the remains of Gen. Sheridan arrived at the Baltimore & Potomac station at 5:17 p. m.

A Defaulting Cashier Overhauled.

CHICAGO, Ill., August 9.—Thomas M. Haines, the defaulting cashier of the Atlantic & North Carolina Railroad, was arrested here this morning. The arrest was made upon a telegram received from Washington Bryan, President of the railroad. It is not known how much Haines took from the company. When arrested he was about to leave for Milwaukee.

YELLOW JACK.

Several New Cases Discovered in Florida—Quarantine Regulations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—Surgeon Hamilton has received the following telegram from Dr. Guiteras at Jacksonville, Fla.: "There is a circumscribed focus of infection in one block in the city. Two more cases discovered traceable to same center."

He received a telegram from Dr. Murray at Manatee, Fla., saying: "Four new cases, making a total of thirteen. One case in Palmetto, across the river. No other case known or suspected." The Board of Health of Jacksonville has telegraphed Dr. Hamilton that everything will be done to isolate fever cases in that city and to prevent the spread of the disease.

Charleston's Quarantine.

CHARLESTON, S. C., August 9.—The city authorities have quarantined against Jacksonville. No persons thence will be allowed to come here and vessels will be stopped at Fort Johnson. This action is based on a telegram from Surgeon-General Hamilton.

CITY PERSONALS.

Dr. M. J. Epstein has returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mosher of Leonard avenue are spending the summer at the Wisconsin resorts.

Mr. Ferdinand Bauer and his daughters, Misses Helen and Ida, leave this evening for the Thousand Islands.

Mr. Eugene Williams and wife, H. L. Brady and J. C. Roberts left yesterday for a trip to Niagara and the Eastern resorts.

Mrs. C. C. Witthodt, nee Logan, will leave in a few days, accompanied by Mrs. W. S. Logan, for an extended trip East. They will also visit the Cincinnati Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Battle and daughter, Nellie, of 2934 Lucas avenue, have just returned from a visit to Newark, N. J., where they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clawson.

Miss Beulah Abram and Miss Jessie LaBarge returned this morning from their pleasure trip to Peoria and Naples on the steamer Calhoun. Miss Abrams will return to Naples and spend the summer there.

Mrs. M. Kruer and children and Miss Amelia Bamberger left yesterday for the North to be absent several weeks. Later on Miss Pauline Bamberger in company with an intimate friend will meet her sisters.

Miss Clara Burneson was given a birthday party Tuesday at her father's home, the occasion being her 19th birthday. A large number of the young lady's friends and relatives attended. Among those present were Misses L. Laviei, E. Denney, O. Wright, Sallie Hazard, Lucretia Hazard, Clara Gray, Mrs. McKelvey and Messrs. McKelvey, Harry Schnecko, Robert Schnecko, Will Tausell, James Smizer, Arthur Groby, Alex Jacoby, D. Rothwell, B. Wright, C. Denney, E. Fitzgerald, Chas. Ewing and Wm. Crow.

ABOUT TOWN.

THREE scales valued at $10 were stolen from the coal yards of Klaren & Nick, 2001 Eugenia street, on the 4th inst.

A SNEAK-THIEF entered the room of S. G. Gordon, 1317 Walnut street, yesterday and stole a Winchester rifle.

EMMA SMITH, aged 14 years, is reported missing from her home, 606 Elm street. She is of medium height, and has blonde hair and blue eyes.

HENRY MEYERS, aged 56 years, was found in his room at 408 Cerre street this morning, very sick from the effects of being overheated last week.

JOHN BOWAR of North Greenfield, Milwaukee Co., Wis., writes to Chief Huebler for information of his brother, Andre Bowar, who, he believes, is in this city.

AN excursion under the auspices of

RATHER COOL.

THE RECEPTION OF THE MINISTERS AT THE LORD MAYOR'S BANQUET.

Lord Salisbury's Speech on England's Foreign Relations and the Local Government Bill—The Communist Demonstration in Paris—France Blamed for the Italian Differences—Foreign News.

Special Cablegram to the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, August 9.—The banquet to the Ministers at the Mansion House, which usually takes place at the end of the Parliamentary session, was a less brilliant success this year than on previous occasions, but there was a large and distinguished gathering. Smith, who was detained in the Commons to carry the allegations bill through its final stage, being the only Cabinet Minister of importance absent. It was noticeable, however, that with the exception, perhaps, of Balfour, the members of the Government were received with far less enthusiasm than customary in the City of London, the headquarters of unionism. Salisbury made a spirited attempt to prove that in the local government bill, the Government had done nothing to curtail the glories and privileges enjoyed by the Lord Mayor and corporation. The fact is that no part of the bill is more democratic than that relating to London. In the opinion of impartial and competent critics in this respect the bill is more thorough than any measure likely to have been carried by the Liberals, the latter having always in view the necessity of conciliating the Lords. The corporation of the city are well aware that through the action of their own friends they will soon cease to arrogate to themselves the title of government of London, while elected in a mere hole and corner. It is not to be wondered at, therefore, that the Ministers were received

WITH SOMEWHAT DIMINISHED ENTHUSIASM.

Salisbury's remarks on foreign affairs give universal satisfaction. For the time he has returned to his earlier manner, before he was led away by Beaconsfield's jingo policy. It is difficult to see, as regards foreign affairs, in what respect he now differs from his great antagonist, Gladstone. The *Daily News*, which is not much given to praising Salisbury, says that last night he spoke hopefully and wisely and well. Salisbury fully confirms the views of those who have held from the first that the accession of the present Emperor of Germany does not threaten war. The Premier has been suffering from the gout, but looks in better health than for a long time past. Balfour's long, spare figure, with smooth hair carefully parted in the middle, attracted even more attention than his uncle, the Prime Minister. He sat smiling and chatting all the evening with a lady on his right, as though no Irish question remained unsettled. Speaker Peel is suffering from varicose veins and will probably retire soon with a peerage, in which case he will be succeeded in the Commons by Leonard H. Courtney, an admirable selection.

GOSSIP.

The new express train direct to Paris and Constantinople begins running Sunday next.

Dr. Charles Mackay is in absolute poverty. A subscription has been started in his behalf. He has been a very voluminous writer, and at one time edited the *Illustrated London News*. He is best known as the author of "Cheer, Boys, Cheer; There's a Good Time Coming," and other ditties which attained an extraordinary vogue.

England.

SALISBURY'S SPEECH CRITICISED.

LONDON, August 9.—The *Morning Post*, commenting on Lord Salisbury's speech at the Lord Mayor's banquet last night, says: "The Prime Minister must be aware of the fallacy of his suggestion that Russia's policy regarding Bulgaria be reversed. He underrates the intelligence of the day in thinking that the country can feel anything but anxiety at his recital of obvious platitudes on foreign matters." The *Daily News* also complains of Lord Salisbury's reticence. It says: "The country is entitled to know, if he knows himself, what is to be the fate of Bulgaria."

BOARD OF TRADE REPORT.

The returns issued by the Board of Trade show that during the month of July the imports increased £1,750,000 as compared with those of the corresponding month last year, and that the exports increased £1,580,000 as compared with those of July, 1887.

MARLBOROUGH MARRIED AGAIN.

To avoid any possibility of complications arising from their marriage in New York, the Duke of Marlborough and his wife to-day went through another marriage ceremony at the London Registrar's office.

A DIPLOMATIC SPEECH.

The *St. James' Gazette* complains that Lord Salisbury's speech at the Lord Mayor's banquet last evening was diplomatic, and says that his utterances throw no light on the foreign situation.

Ireland.

THE DICE ARE LOADED.

DUBLIN, August 9.—To-day *United Ireland* publishes a rampant article on the Parnell commission bill adopted by the House of Commons. It says the bill is the greatest fraud ever fashioned. The Parnellites did not reject it because their action would have been misinterpreted and did not accept it because it is a fraud and the tribunal will be packed. The Parnellites, however, will pass the ordeal earnestly and in good faith. Though the dice are loaded they feel that the game is theirs.

France.

THE COMMUNIST DEMONSTRATIONS.

PARIS, August 9.—The official reports show that the number of persons arrested for participation in the riotous demonstrations which attended the funeral of Gen. Endes yesterday was twenty-four and that but eight of them were detained. The night was generally quiet. There was some disorder in the Place de la Republique, and troops were obliged to relieve the police. A fight also occurred in the Faubourg St. Antoine. The newspapers are of the opinion that the demonstration yesterday was of a far less serious character than was anticipated. The Radical press charge the police with losing their temper. The strikers at Amiens are quiet.

THE LABOR EXCHANGE CLOSED.

Another meeting of the Cabinet was held to-day. M. Floquet, the Prime Minister, informed the members of the Cabinet that the Labor Exchange had long been used for purposes other than those for which it was instituted, and it had therefore been closed by the Government. The approaches to the Exchange are guarded by police. The strikers attempted to assemble at the Exchange to-day, but were dispersed by the police.

Germany.

EMPEROR FREDERICK'S DIARY.

BERLIN, August 9.—The diary of the late Emperor Frederick which he left to his consort as her private property is again in her possession. She has given some volumes of notes on purely military subjects to the State archives.

A RAP AT FRANCE.

The *North German Gazette* says that France is responsible for the tension existing between herself and Italy. French commercial interests in Massowah, the paper declares, are small and do not need the protection of a consul. In inducing Greek residents to protest against taxation by Italy, France aimed to create friction with that country. France of all the Powers attaches the least importance to European peace and she actively tries to disturb it.

Italy.

THE DIFFERENCES WITH ZANZIBAR.

ROME, August 9.—To-day *La Riforma* states that the differences between Italy and Zanzibar in reference to the cession of certain lands by the Sultan of the latter country have been settled to the satisfaction of both countries. Italy has obtained a vast tract of territory.

INTERNATIONAL LITERARY CONGRESS.

An International Literary Congress will be held in the Senate chamber of the Doge's Palace in Venice on September 15. Its labors will be chiefly devoted to studying and discussing the American copyright law. The Syndic of Venice will entertain the members of the Congress.

A LIVELY FRACAS.

Secretary of State McGrath Caned by a Newspaper Employe.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SEDALIA, MO., August 9.—M. K. McGrath, present incumbent and candidate for Secretary of State, and President of the Sedalia *Democrat* Publishing Co., was caned by C. M. Lane, an employe in the *Democrat* office, at Sicher's Hotel, last evening. Lane was brought from Texas to take charge of the advertising department when McGrath became proprietor of the paper, and has been connected with it ever since. Last night McGrath told Lane he was discharged, and asked him to surrender the keys to the office and vacate. This he refused to do, saying he was not in the employ of McGrath, but was answerable to R. P. Thompson, Business Manager. McGrath then called a policeman, and told him to arrest Lane, but the officer having no warrant for his arrest and no charge against him, refused to interfere. Just after supper Lane met McGrath in the hotel office, and after saying a word or two to him, struck him several times with his cane. The cane was taken out of the hands of the infuriated man, who then struck the Secretary of State several blows with his fist, one blow knocking his hat off, but not otherwise harming him. Lane was arrested for disturbing the peace, and gave bond for his appearance before the City Recorder. It is alleged that there is scandal behind the matter. The affair has been the talk of the town, feeling being largely against McGrath.

VOGEL—POSTLEWAITE.

The Musicians' Board of Directors Refuse to Take Action.

The Board of Directors of the Musicians' Union met this morning at their hall on Market street, near Sixth. The principal matter before the board was the discussion of the Vogel-Postlewaite fight over the music to be furnished at the "Fall of Pompeii," an account of which was printed in detail in the POST-DISPATCH of Tuesday. Mr. Vogel's claim was that he had a contract with the Kensington Garden people to furnish music with thirty men for the season, and in fact produced the contract signed by one of their agents. Mr. Posthewaite, on the other hand, produced a contract with the Kensington Garden folks by which he is to furnish music for the balance of the season. The Board of Directors disliked to take any positive action on the matter in either direction as the board is composed of men among whom are members of either band. After some discussion it was decided to refer the matter to a committee selected from the society at large and made up of men who are attached to neither band. The committee will make a thorough investigation of the case and its report shall be final. The committee will be appointed to-morrow.

"I WOULD like to proclaim the value of Hood's Sarsaparilla from the top of the highest peaks with a voice strong enough for the whole earth to hear it." J. B. HORNBECK, Harpersville, N. Y.

Incorporated To-Day.

The Electric Date & Time Stamp Co., the parent company in the United States, was incorporated in this city to-day with a capital of $1,000,000 divided into 100,000 shares of $10 each, the incorporators being H. Daughaday of Brown, Daughaday & Co., W. H. Stevenson, H. H. Wernse, J. B. Johnson and J. M. Thompson. Among other stockholders D. P. Slattery, Jacob Klein, H. M. Blossom, A. W. Gifford, Wood & Lee, R. H. Kern, Mr. Phillips, Secretary of the Crystal Plate Glass Co., and Judge Martindale, the author, of Chicago.

These gentlemen have purchased from the inventor, Charles Adams Randall, to whom letters patent were issued by the English Government April 3, 1888, the exclusive right to the commercial and individual use of the instrument in this country. It is an ingenious device, used for notifying the owner of the date and time of engagements.

North St. Louis News.

Gus Wolf, President of the Wolf & Kraemer Furniture Co., is at St. Paul for a short rest.

The Young Men's Sodality of St. Michaels' Church will give an excursion next Saturday on the Annie P. Silver.

Mr. Nicholas Doelger and Miss Bertha C. Raher were united in marriage last evening by Justice H. S. Harmon.

Mrs. Dr. A. F. Williams of 1518 Salisbury street returned yesterday after a six weeks' vacation at Chicago with her sons.

To-morrow night the Tenth Ward Union Labor Club will have a mass meeting at Stolle's Hall, Thirteenth and Biddle streets.

The picnic of the Hyde Park Congregational Church Sunday-school will be given at Forest Park, August 16. It was postponed from August 9.

There will be a workingmen's picnic next Wednesday at O'Fallon Park. Some of the leading politicians are down on the programme for speeches.

There were twenty-seven cases in the Second District Police Court this morning, but nothing important. Eight $5 fines were imposed on peace disturbers, and a few similar ones were levied on drunkards. Three persons were sent to the Work-house.

Nicholas Labante, an employe of Herman H. Lippelman of 1516 North Broadway, while driving on Broadway and Howard street this morning, was thrown out of the buggy, severely but not dangerously bruising his head, shoulders and arms. The horse ran away, and the buggy was damaged to the extent of $10.

J. H. Rottman & Co., liquor dealers, have begun suit in attachment against M. H. Heserich, a customer, to recover $137.50 due on an account. Justice Harmon has charge of the case. The Chas. G. Stifel Brewing Co. has entered two suits in the same court against Jacob Rader of Thirteenth and Chambers streets on overdue accounts amounting to $179.50 and $16.50 respectively.

At 6:29 this morning a fire started from some unknown cause in a closet in a second-story front room of the two-story stone-front building, No. 3311 Franklin avenue, owned by Abraham Cooper and occupied by J. C. Gibson. A small hole was burned in the floor and a few articles of clothing burned. The property is insured in the California Insurance Co. for $800.

William Koch, Constable of the Tenth District, reported to the Fourth District Police this morning that he had been robbed during the night at his residence, 1729 North Thirteenth street, of a pair of pants, a watch and between $45 and $50 in money, by burglars who gained an entrance to the house by cutting the blinds of a front window. The burglary was not discovered until Mr. Koch awoke this morning. His pants were found in the yard minus the contents of the pockets.

Mrs. M. I. Koons, wife of M. I. Koons, proprietor of Koons' planing mills at Second street and Bremen avenue, was buried this afternoon. Mrs. Koons died at her family residence, in Woodland, a North St. Louis suburb. The body was brought to the city and interred in Bellefontaine, the funeral taking place from Louis Landvoght's undertaking rooms, Ninth and Salisbury streets. Mrs. Koons died on Tuesday night from the effects of being burned while rescuing her daughter from the flames that had caught her clothing from a gasoline stove.

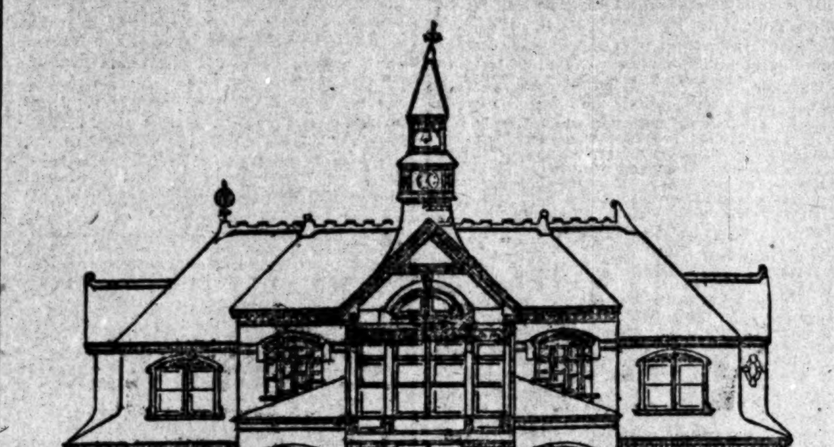
A SUBURBAN GEM.

THE ARCADE TO BE BUILT AT CHAMBERLAIN PARK.

The Structure Which Will Meet the Long-Felt Want of Residents on the Outskirts of the City—Grocery, Bakery, Butcher Shop, Meeting and Amusement Place in One—An Idea Which Two Enterprising Gentlemen Will Carry Out—Real Estate News.

Selah Chamberlain, the Cleveland (O.) gentleman who first laid out the beautiful residence property that bears his name, Chamberlain Park, must be experienced in all the joys and evils of suburban life, for no sooner had he platted his magnificent piece of property than he conceived the idea of building an arcade where all the everyday necessities of life could be readily procured at all times.

The idea that prompted such an enterprise was to remove the many and well-founded objections so frequently advanced to residing in the suburbs, where the scanty corner grocer and the unreliable huckster wagon are depended upon to supply the larder, the medicine-chest and the sewing-basket. This matter of marketing is one of the chief annoyances that a suburban housewife has to contend with, and the troubles she has to combat on that account often make it very difficult to retain house servants, who generally make more to-do about such things than the people by whom they are employed.



THE CHAMBERLAIN ARCADE.

When Mr. Chamberlain sold his park property some time ago he very naturally lost all interest in his proposed arcade, but Delos R. Haynes and Josiah A. Parker considered the idea a capital one. These two gentlemen immediately began putting the plan into operation, and improved upon it by conditionally obligating themselves to have the following lines of business established and carried on for the accommodation of patrons in the arcade, namely: Grocery, butcher and green grocer, prescription druggist, notions and threads, confectionery and bakery, feed store, florist, news stand, messenger and express, plumber, gas fitter, gas machines, coal, wood, ice, laundry, telephone and telegraph.

THE CONDITION UPON

which the enterprise is founded is an agreement signed by parties living in the vicinity to give their full and continued patronage to these stores upon the understanding that the goods shall be first-class, and prices the same as those charged in the city. These agreements were very generally signed, and so satisfactory were the responses it was determined to add other valuable features by providing halls on the second floor that may be used for public meetings, devotional exercises, lodges, societies and a dancing academy all under one roof, where there is to be some means also for extinguishing fires that may occur in the neighborhood. Mr. Parker says parties in the respective lines of business named have already secured apartments in the Arcade, one of which is under a ten-year lease, three of them for six years each, two for five years, one for two years, and several others from month to month. In addition to this there is to be a gymnasium and bowling alley intended for the use of ladies and children as well as gentlemen.

Plan of the Building.

The St. Louis Missionary Society of the Congregational Church has leased one of the halls twice a week for five years, and a lodge of the Royal Arcanum and one of the Legion of Honor recently organized in the vicinity have secured apartments that are said to have the most perfectly appointed ante-rooms of any lodge-room in the city. A circulating magazine library is another feature intended to supply the literary tastes of the community on an economical scale.

From this it may be readily conceived that it is intended to make the Arcade one of the wonders of the city, combining a railway and ticket office with all the balance of its features.

Accompanying this article will be found an accurate picture of what the Arcade will be when completed about the 10th of October next. Contracts for its entire construction have been let, including incandescent and arc lighting and an immense reservoir that will provide the building with water from the roof until city mains are extended out there. It is anticipated they will be inside of a year, as hydrant water is now furnished to Grisnold place and Kensington Gardens, the latter being only about 2,500 feet eastward. It is estimated that the cost of the Arcade and its surroundings will not fall far short of $35,000.

CONTRACTORS HAVE NOW RAISED

the structure up to the second story and they are pushing the work with all possible speed. It is located on the north side of the St. Louis Cable & Western Railway, 300 feet west of Belt avenue. The design, as it appears, was executed by C. C. Helmers, who has provided for a building with a ground area 128 feet square. The outer walls to the top of the first story are carried up in stock brick, with ornamentations of carved stone. From there up the outer portion of the building will be of slate and shingled roof, being surmounted with a slated four-dial clock tower, from which the hours and quarters will ring out above an observatory 100 feet above the foundations, where an extensive view of the surrounding landscape may be obtained.

The interior will be finished in light woods in natural colors, and the corridors on the first floor will all be of plate glass, so that on entering the Arcade persons may plainly see every character of business that is being carried on there. The corridors are 12 feet wide and facing them will be the business stands. On the second floor, reached by three broad easy flights of stairs, the main one in front and the others at either side of the building, there is to be an elaborate display of historic painting of a high order of art, and the principal hall with its stage is to be fitted with scenery and other dramatic properties for amateur theatrical performances. At the rear of the structure there is to be a high fence to conceal the Arcade delivery wagons and other unsightly objects from observation and there will be a 40-foot park drive around the entire premises, making it easily accessible for vehicles. Under the whole structure there is to be a finished basement where the gymnasium and bowling alley and cellars for the various stores are to be located, making the arrangements complete in every detail.

A PAYING INVESTMENT.

Adam Boeck & Co. sold another piece of very profitable property, which used to belong to Jacob Ambs, who made the improvements on the premises which produce, when fully occupied, a rental of $81 a month. D. K. Ferguson is trustee for the owners of this property for whom Boeck & Co., sold the adjoining premises at the corner of Market and Moore streets a few days since. The piece sold to-day is in the shape of the letter L, the base fronting 60 feet on the west line of Moore street, the stem running through 67½ feet in depth to the east side of Seventeenth, on which street there is a frontage of 22½ feet. On the Moore street front there is a row of two-story brick tenements, and on Seventeenth a three-story brick dwelling which is rented in apartments to families. Under the Seventeenth street house there is an immense cellar, which Mr. Ambs constructed there to store wine in. This property was purchased by Jacob Basset for $4,000 as an investment.

GOING TO BUILD ON PINE.

Delos R. Haynes & Bro. report the sale of lot No. 8 of block 3901, facing 100 feet by a depth of 218 on the west line of Pine street to S. B. Ripley at $48 a foot. This ground was a part of the Patchin estate. Mr. Ripley bought it to build a residence.

BOUGHT FOR IMPROVEMENT.

Booth, Barada & Co. report the sale of three lots numbered 6, 7 and 8 of city block 768, fronting 70x110 feet on the west side of Second street, between Dorcas and Lynch, the property of Margaret Kelly and Ellen Collins, at $15 a foot, to Fred Heitz, who purchased the ground to put improvements upon it.

The sale of a piece of ground in the Shreve tract, fronting 162 feet on the north line of Carter avenue, at $6 per foot to George Kuper is reported by Papin & Tontrup. Mr. Kuper bought the adjoining property at Papin & Tontrup's spring auction and he now owns the entire front in that block on Carter avenue.

NOTES.

The work of remodeling the interior of Erastus Wells' building, northwest corner of Broadway and Olive street, is now under way and the architects, Grabel & Webber, are having the improvements pushed with all possible speed.

In a few days there will be nothing left of the unsightly shanties on Eighth street opposite the Custom-house, where the Phippe-Wallace building is to be erected, as the house wreckers are working there now.

Tenants in D. M. Houser's premises at the northwest corner of Broadway and Chestnut street are making preparations to move out, as Mr. Houser will commence wrecking to make room for his magnificent new building. As stated some time previously in the POST-DISPATCH plans for this valuable improvement are all ready, and by January the work of construction will be well advanced.

At the regular meeting of the Fraternal Building and Loan Association Tuesday evening the members loaned $3,120 at 25 per cent premium for building purposes on South Broadway.

OFFICER CALLAHAN STABBED.

A Murderous Assault Last Night by an Unknown Negro.

Officer John Callahan was stabbed twice last night about 12 o'clock by an unknown negro, and seriously, may be fatally wounded. It was just a few minutes before midnight that Officer Ring was attracted to Rauschenbach and St. Louis avenues by a pistol shot. When he arrived on the spot he found Officer Callahan lying in the street and the prostrate policeman informed him that he had been stabbed twice by a negro unknown to him and he had fired a shot at his assailant as he turned to run, but he believed without effect. He was on his way home on a Mound City car and when the car was passing the intersection of the above-named streets he saw a colored man and woman fighting in the street. He jumped off to stop the fight. He had no sooner laid hands on the negro than the latter turned and whipping out a knife plunged it into his right side. Before he could draw his revolver the colored man made another lunge at him with the knife, and this time the blade entered his right forearm. His assailant then fled and he fired a shot at the fugitive, but in all probability missed him.

He was faint and weak from the loss of blood and was evidently in great pain. An ambulance was at once summoned and he was taken to the Sisters' Hospital on Fourteenth and O'Fallon streets and Drs. Carriere and Bernays, Sr., summoned. They examined and dressed his wounds and pronounced them dangerous. The wound in the right side, it is believed, penetrated the lung slightly and the cut in the forearm is eight inches long. He was resting more easily this morning, but was not allowed to see anybody. The doctors think he may possibly recover.

The negro who did the cutting is described by Callahan as copper-colored, smooth-faced, stoutly built, 5 feet 8 inches high, and about 35 years of age. The woman Callahan knows by sight. She lives in a district known as New Chicago, near Lindell Park. The police arrested several women this morning on suspicion of being the one that was with Callahan's assailant, and they were brought to the hospital late this afternoon to see if he could identify any of them. The man who did the cutting has not been apprehended and has probably left the city.

Dr. Bernays says that Officer Callahan's wounds are very severe, one thrust penetrating the lung between the sixth and seventh ribs, but he was much improved this morning and may pull through.

The Carondelet Wharf Line.

Harbor Commissioner Murphy, having examined with great care the matter of the encroachment by manufacturers and others on the wharf line at Carondelet, will visit the locality to-morrow and look over the entire river front from Elwood street to the River Des Peres. It is understood that the Commissioner is not disposed to take any action that will seriously inconvenience any of the industries in the southern part of the city. Having lived in that locality for years he understands exactly the difficulties the mills located there have labored under and will do nothing to entail on them the expense of litigation.

Try Ingalls' Easy Plan.

Lovely new pictures, etc. 1007 Olive street.

Amusement Notes.

Harry Pepper's benefit at Schnaider's to-morrow night should call out a large audience.

"Amorita" was presented last night at Uhrig's Cave, and though the evening was cool enough to drive the seersuckers into the house, there was an immense audience, and they were warmly enthusiastic. The opera is one of the most beautiful of all the light operas, and it was given exquisitely and thoroughly appreciated. The principals and also the chorus were brought back time and again during the performance.

"The Last Days of Pompeii" will be given to-night at Kensington with more splendor and fire than ever before. This will be Francis night and a big demonstration will be made when the picture of the Mayor appears in fire. The bomb that will be exploded will eclipse anything of the kind ever exhibited in this country or England. They are twenty-six inches in diameter and explode with such a tremendous report that they can be heard for miles. Under favorable circumstances the sound has been heard twenty-five miles from where the bomb was fired. Besides these new attractions a more elaborate display than has ever been given here has been arranged, and it will be gorgeous.

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WASHINGTON.

THE SENATE PREPARING FOR THE COMING TARIFF DISCUSSION.

An Effort to Clear the Calendar of Important Bills—Important Report on the Culture of Raw Silk—Gen. Casey and the River and Harbor Bill—Proceedings in Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—Senator Sherman has sent a circular note to Republican Senators asking each if there are any measures pending before the Senate in which he is especially interested and upon which he desires action by the Senate during this session. The recipients are requested to reply to the Committee on the Order of Business. It is understood to be the intention of the committee to provide for clearing the calendar of important business before the tariff bill is brought in.

The Culture of Raw Silk.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—The Speaker laid before the House to-day a communication from the Commissioner of Agriculture, transmitting a report of the expenditures and results obtained by the Ladies' Silk Culture Association of California, in experiments for the encouragement and development of the culture of the raw silk. The report shows that the orchard near Oakland contains about 6,000 trees 1 to 3 years old and as many cuttings. The work of the society in raising worms has necessarily been limited to experiments. Some important results have been attained, which require further confirmation before they can be fully available in a general sense. Operations during the year have been with reference to rigid economy, and the society is now much better cognizant of the work which is necessary to be done in order to develop the station on a scientific and profitable basis. It has no liabilities and the requirements of the future will necessarily be much greater than during the past year. The completion of the water system, the construction of a cocoonery, the establishment of a filature, the clearing of more land, and the enlargement of the orchard and nursery, are among the designs to be vigorously prosecuted in case means shall be provided by Congress.

The River and Harbor Bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—Gen. Casey, Chief of Engineers, to-day finished consideration of the river and harbor appropriation bill, referred to him by the President, and returned it with a report thereon to the President this afternoon. It reached the White House during the Cabinet session and formed one of the topics of discussion. The ten days' limit for action on this bill expires Saturday.

The August Crop Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—The Department of Agriculture makes the following announcement: "The August crop report of the Department of Agriculture will be given out to the press to-morrow at 4 o'clock p. m., except the report on cotton, which will be delivered at 12 noon. This is done both as a convenience to the office and in deference to general request."

To-Day's Bond Offerings.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—The bond offerings to-day aggregated $1,575,100 in lots as follows: Four per cent registered, $22,000 at 127⅝; $700 at 127¼; $5,000 at 127⅝; $200,000 at 127 9-16; four per cent coupon, $30,000 at 127 9-16. Four and a half per cents, registered, $21,400 at 107 9-16; $276,000 at 107¾; $1,000,000 at 107½; $1,400 at 107 3-5; four and a half per cents, coupons, $18,600 at 107 9-16.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

The Senate.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 9.—Mr. Palmer introduced a bill for the purchase of the Portage Lake & Improvement Co.'s canal, etc. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Mitchell offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Interior for information concerning his recent decision in the Guilford Miller land case, affecting the title to the Northern Pacific lands. Agreed to.

The Senate proceeded to business on the calendar and the following bills were passed:

The Senate bill to pay A. W. Tabor $3,869 for necessary additional expenses incurred by him as Postmaster at Leadville, Colo. Also a like bill to pay Royal M. Hubbard $600 for additional rent of post-office at Longmount, Colo.

The Senate bill to relieve the sureties of George W. Hook, formerly Receiver and disbursing agent of the United States Land Office at Humboldt, Cal. (Bond dated in 1856.)

The Senate then, at 11:45, proceeded to the consideration of the fisheries treaty in open executive session, and Mr. Evarts resumed his speech (begun yesterday) against its ratification.

CASUALTIES.

A Train Goes Through an Open Draw—Five Persons Drowned.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., August 9.—Engine No. 601, which had brought a train in from Baltimore on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad last night, went through an open draw into the Schuylkill River near Gray's Ferry. Fireman McMichael jumped and escaped. Engineer Bell, McCord and Sawyer went down with the engine and Sawyer was drowned. Bell received serious injuries, while McCord will probably live. The drawbridge-tender declares that the proper signals were out, but Fireman McMichael declares that there were no signals visible.

A Bad Freight Wreck.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AVILLA, Ind., August 9.—A freight train on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, while crossing the track of the Grand Rapids & Indiana road, near here, ran into a freight train of that road at 4 o'clock this morning. The engineers and firemen of both locomotives saved themselves by jumping. Ten cars on the B. & O. train were smashed into kindling wood. The excursion train from Ft. Wayne, carrying the delegates to the Democratic Congressional Convention at Kendallville, was delayed until a train from Kendallville reached here, to which the passengers were transferred. The damage to the rolling stock amounts to $15,000.

Five Persons Drowned.

NEWCASTLE, Del., August 9.—About 8 o'clock last evening, during a heavy blow, the sloop Flora B. of Pennsville capsized near this place. She had on board Mrs. Elijah Wheaton, Mrs. Jonathan Turner, Mrs. Saml. Wheaton and daughter, about 9 years of age, and Mrs. Thomas Finnegan, all of whom were in the cabin at the time and were all drowned. The bodies have been recovered and were sent to their home in Pennsville.

A Probably Serious Collision.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

ZANESVILLE, O., August 9.—A report has just reached the city of the collision of a Columbus & Eastern picnic train with a C. & M. V. passenger train on the joint track, five miles south of this city. The details cannot be obtained. The excursion train was heavily loaded.

A Fatal Mishap.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., August 9.—Jerry Cogburn, a young man, and son of Capt. Cogburn, one of the leading farmers and stock-raisers of the county, was killed on his father's farm near Rosston last night by being thrown from a horse while rounding up cattle. His neck was broken and his body badly crushed.

THE IMMIGRATION INVESTIGATION.

Herr Most, the Anarchist, Before the Congressional Committee.

NEW YORK, August 9.—The immigration investigation opened up this morning with every promise of a lively session. Before the committee assembled the witnesses began to arrive. The first on hand was Commissioner of Emigration Taintor, and next came Herr Most, the fiery Anarchist, neatly dressed in black and with hair closely cropped and whiskers trimmed. While waiting for the proceedings to open he took a seat at the reporters' table and began the preparation of an editorial for his paper, the *Freiheit*. Judge Simmons, the special treasury agent, subpœnaed Most on Wednesday after a long search for him. He found him in his sanctum and, before Most knew who his visitor was, the paper had been served upon him. Herr Most was the first witness called, and after describing himself as the publisher of the *Freiheit*, replied to Mr. Ford's question as to what kind of a paper the *Freiheit* was by saying: "Well, I should call it an economical paper—its an Anarchist paper." Witness said he had been in this country for six years. At the time he came there was not a very large emigration of Socialists from Germany, but a few years previous there had been considerable in consequence of a law passed by a German Parliament. They did not all seek America, numbers going to Switzerland, France and England as well. A great many preferred to be near their old homes rather than come here.

Witness said he believed there were about fifty million sympathizers with socialism in the world, while there are only about three million and a half openly working in the cause. In the United States he thought there were about two million Anarchist sympathizers.

"Don't you think our form of government attracts Socialists?" asked Mr. Ford.

"Well, so far as my experience goes, I think not."

"Don't you think our laws are more liberal toward Socialists than those of other countries?"

"Your laws here are as severe as anywhere, but you don't use them so often."

Witness said there were more Anarchists in Germany now than ten years ago. For the past twelve months he did not think over a dozen had come to this country. He thought the number of Anarchists in the United States had been on the increase of late years, and ascribed this to the dissemination of Anarchist literature. They were mostly Germans, he said.

"Do they hold secret meetings?" asked Mr. Guenther.

"No, sir; we only hold secret meetings when we are forced to."

"Have the Anarchists been forced to hold secret meetings?"

"No, sir."

"Not in Chicago?"

"No, sir."

FIRES.

A Destruction Blaze at Litchfield, Conn.—Steel-Works Destroyed.

WATERBURY, Conn., August 9.—For the second time in three years Litchfield suffered the loss of a large portion of her business blocks this morning. At 1 a. m. flames were discovered breaking from the roof of Beach's block. This building was entirely of wood, and burned so rapidly that no attempt was made to save it. The lower floor was occupied by Grannis & Elmore's grocery. Deneger's shoe store and Dr. J. T. Sedgwick's office were on the second floor. The flames spread to the building directly east occupied by C. E. Shumway, harness-maker; thence to Sanford & Sharp's tin shop and from this to Braman & Bissell's dry goods and grocery establishment and McAfoy's shoe store. Hopes were entertained of being able to save the new Court-house, which was recently erected at a cost of $10,000, and an attempt was made to clear away the buildings intervening between it and the building where the fire started by the use of powder, but despite all efforts the flames jumped the vacant space between the Court-house and the building west, and it burned to the ground in a short time. The next block was the one owned by J. Walcott Wheeler, and is made of brick. For some time it was an even thing whether it too would go or not, but water was plenty and the flames were checked. Everything is in a state of confusion in the center of the village and the exact loss and insurance cannot be ascertained yet. The ruins of the Court-house are still burning fiercely at 9 o'clock this morning.

Steel Works Destroyed.

CLEVELAND, O., August 9.—The old crucible steel-works of the Cleveland Steel Co., in this city, were leased three weeks ago to the Prospect Rolling-Mill Co. The works were to begin operations this morning and the fires in the heating furnaces had been lighted. At 5 o'clock the sparks from the furnaces ignited the frame walls of the large building and in an hour the mill was a smoking ruin. The loss is $30,000; insurance $10,000.

Wells College Burned.

AURORA, N. Y., August 9.—The main building of Wells College was burned this morning with the entire contents. Morgan Hall and the laundry were saved by hard work of the citizens. The fire is thought to have started in the kitchen. It is said there is an insurance of $100,000, which will not cover half the loss. The foundation for an extension of the main building was nearly done and they expected to have part of it ready for use when the fall term opened.

Telephone Office Gutted.

DAYTON, O., August 9.—By crossing of wires the full power from the electric street railway dynamos was turned into the Telephone Exchange, setting it on fire and destroying 600 telephones throughout the city, completely shutting off all telephone business.

Caused by Spontaneous Combustion.

PITTSBURG, Pa., August 9.—The plant of the East End Electric Light Co., on Broad street, was totally destroyed by fire about 4 o'clock this morning. The loss was $25,000, fully insured. The fire was caused by spontaneous combustion.

Trouble at a Dance.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SEDALIA, MO., August 9.—At a low dance in the northern part of town last night a general fight was indulged in, during which Geo. Vollker was badly cut about the face and neck, and lies in a critical condition. Charles McCullough and O. Dyer are held for the deed. A bottle of whisky was thrown and struck one of the girls in the face. Three or four fights followed, and twenty arrests were made.

The Graff-Bennett Mills Sold.

PITTSBURG, Pa., August 9.—The two iron mills of Graff, Bennett & Co. were sold at auction to-day for $729,000 to satisfy two mortgages, one for $625,000, held by the New York Life Insurance Co., and the other for $100,000, held by local parties. The property was bought in by a syndicate of the firm's creditors.

ABOUT 9:30 o'clock last evening Edward Adkins, an employe of the St. Louis, Cable & Western road, while driving a mule that was hauling the cars into the stable, got caught between a moving car and the door post and was rather badly injured.

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The indications for twenty-four hours, commencing at 8 p. m. to-day, for Missouri are: Fair, warmer weather; winds becoming southeasterly

GLOVER deserves Democratic support for his plucky fight against contemplated Democratic fraud.

A MAJORITY of the voters and a minority of the committee ought to prevail over a majority of the committee and a minority of the voters.

BY refusing to accept Recorder WILLIAMS' poll-book proposition the Francis majority of the Democratic City Committee have left the indecency of their programme without even a single fig-leaf to cover its nakedness.

THERE was a very strong contrast between political purity as preached by Mayor FRANCIS at the Music Hall meeting last night and political purity as practiced in his interest by the Central Committee Returning Board while he was speaking.

SEVERAL of the speakers at the Francis meeting last night were citizens of Missouri before FRANCIS was born, but they tried to make the public believe that Missouri was a howling wilderness until it was civilized by the refining influence of "Our DAVE."

IT would have been much better if Mr. ORTHWEIN in his speech last night had omitted to include in his panegyric of the Mayor the statement, "He has managed the "finances of the city with exceptional "skill." It would be nearer the truth to say that he had managed the finances of the city with exceptional imbecility, the one financial transaction for which he is responsible having been a monumental failure.

THE Michigan Republicans must be in an uneasy frame of mind. Gen. ALGER found it necessary yesterday to reassure them by urging them to disbelieve a whole lot of disturbing rumors. He denied emphatically that there was any movement to have HARRISON withdrawn, or that he himself was about to prove false or cold to the party. Such assurances may be classed as very cold comfort in a State where the huge Republican majority has dwindled away and disappeared so rapidly of late years.

IN their despairing effort to head off the labor-union revolt and to save their State for HARRISON, the Indiana Republicans tried hard, but in vain, to force their nomination for Governor on ex-Gov. PORTER. But he steadfastly refused to sacrifice himself on the altar of the ancestral candidate, and so they conscripted Gen. A. P. HOVEY, and gave him another "fighting parson," Rev. IRA J. CHASE, as a running mate. The idea of this ticket is to capture enough of the Prohibition vote to compensate for the stampeded workingmen.

A RESOLUTION adopted by a Democratic Committee in GLOVER'S favor as a candidate for nomination to Congress is now cited as a precedent for refusing three other candidates each equal representation with FRANCIS in the primary election machinery. GLOVER in that case had no announced competitor for the nomination, and there was no other candidate entitled to representation. In this case the Democratic Committee treats MOREHOUSE, CLAIBORNE and GLOVER as only one candidate, and gives FRANCIS as many judges as all of them together.

IN the First Ward, where Central Committeeman CONRAM is a candidate for delegate, the primary voting is to be done in HOWARD & RYAN'S saloon, where CONRAM'S running mate on the Francis ticket lives, and CHRIS RILEY, an old-time ballot-box expert, is to have judicial charge of the box aforesaid. It rests with CONRAM, the candidate, to say whether the registration lists shall be regarded or not, and he is a member of the Returning Board which is to pass upon his election returns. The Democrats of Louisiana were never victimized by any returning board that had things fixed in a more infallible swing than is now rigged and in full working order for the Democrats of St. Louis.

THE RESPITE REFUSED.

If any new evidence had been presented to Gov. MOREHOUSE throwing doubt upon the justice of the verdict in the Hugh M. Brooks case, he said when first appealed to that he would have exercised his authority so as to give the prisoner the benefit of that evidence. When the Governor was appealed to the second time, there was again a failure to present any new evidence tending to exculpate the prisoner or to weaken in the least the very conclusive evidence against him.

The only new evidence presented was some on which the trial court might, if a respite were granted, have held that there was an error in the constitution of the jury, and awarded the prisoner a new trial. If the Governor believed from all the evidence in the case that such a new trial could only put the State to the expense of a second conviction, he certainly had no ground for interfering to prevent the execution of a verdict which he believed to be a just one. His right to interfere is conferred to be exercised for the promotion of justice, and not to delay or defeat it. He is not to interfere for the correction of minor errors in a trial, save when, in his opinion, those errors contributed to a false or unjust verdict. A trial utterly free from errors of some sort is not to be expected in any case. Nobody denies that there were censurable errors in the trial of BROOKS, but no unbiased person doubts his guilt or can resist the conclusion that the verdict against him was just and in accordance with unexceptionable evidence, in spite of those errors.

As for the British Government's request for a respite, that was presented after the case had been exhaustively considered and adjudicated from the lowest to the highest tribunals, and Gov. MOREHOUSE seems to have held that courtesy to the British Government in this case should not be permitted to involve disregard for public justice and disrespect for the judgments of our courts.

IT is a pity that Chairman KENNARD did not read the temperate and sensible letter of Mr. TANSEY to the Francis meeting last night before introducing the speakers who turned themselves loose on the resolutions. Perhaps the prudence and moderation shown by Mr. TANSEY might have prevented Mr. LEWIS from saying that the election of FRANCIS "will be a guarantee that our State will witness an era of unprecedented prosperity;" it might have prevented Mr. ORTHWEIN from claiming that "he (FRANCIS) has given the city a fair name," and it might have prevented Mr. HARGADINE from saying that the election of FRANCIS would "increase immigration fully 50 per cent." Mayor FRANCIS may be as great a man as Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B., but he couldn't give the State an era of unprecedented prosperity, give the city a fair name, and increase immigration fully 50 per cent unless he had somebody to help him.

A DEMOCRATIC President and a Democratic House have at last given us a law to compel the land-grant railroads to construct and operate the telegraph lines which they bound themselves to give us in part compensation for their lands. This kind of work and the vigorous war the Democratic State Government of New York has opened in the courts against the Sugar Trust will stand as a pretty fair offset to the presence of a few millionaires of Wall street affiliations in the Democratic National Committee.

Remarkable Discovery Made by Francis.

From His Speech Last Night.

In traversing various sections of the interior of Missouri I have traveled many roads where all vehicles have gone in the same rut. I found that so long as I followed in that rut I could never pass the vehicles in front of me, but that where I left the rut I could make better time and leave in the rear those who started out ahead. [Applause.]

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

R. S. P.—No.

P. K.—There is no premium on a half-dollar of 1825.

A SUBSCRIBER.—The game law allows doves to be shot after August 1.

H. G. D.—Miss Marie Wainwright is the stage name of Mrs. Louis James.

L. K.—You can go to Cincinnati by the line you mention without changing cars.

SUBSCRIBER.—Gen. Philip H. Sheridan was born in the town of Somerset, Perry Co., O.

ENQUIRER.—A man whose wife is insane and confined in the Poor-house cannot get a divorce.

A. H. W.—Mr. Henry Ziegenhein was the Republican candidate against H. Clay Sexton for Collector.

SUBSCRIBER.—A letter addressed to the New York *Clipper* will reach Dan Rice, the retired circus proprietor.

J. H. ASHTON.—A couple under age cannot obtain a marriage license in Belleville without the consent of their parents.

MAY BELL.—1 The story of "Little Lord Fauntleroy" is not true. It is a novel. 2. A 3-cent piece of 1858 does not command a premium.

IGNORANCE.—It is not necessary to bring a witness with you when you take out your first papers. You can get a passport to visit Europe two years later, when the second papers are granted.

LICENSE.—The presence of the contracting parties at the Recorder's office is necessary in order to obtain a marriage license. An affidavit made before a notary is not sufficient, excepting in rare cases and for the best of reasons, the Recorder giving special permission.

ST. L.—The dumpboats on the river are not all new. Three of them are old ones belonging to the Street Department and the rest are new. The address of the Secretary of the Lindell Avenue Improvement Association is Thomas Miller. POST-DISPATCH.

W. GRAY.—There is no Vice-President now, but Senator Ingalls is President of the Senate. In case of the President's death the Secretary of State would act as President. President Cleveland's Cabinet is as follows: Secretary of State, Thos. Bayard; Secretary of the Treasury, Chas. Fairchild; Secretary of War, Wm. C. Endicott; Secretary of the Navy, William C. Whitney; Secretary of the Interior, William F. Vilas; Postmaster-General, Daniel M. Dickinson, and Attorney-General, Augustus H. Garland.

SLAIN WHILE ASLEEP.

A JEALOUS HUSBAND MURDERS HIS UNCONSCIOUS WIFE.

William Anderson's Horrible Crime—He Kills His Wife With a Base Ball Bat—The Murderer Tells of His Crime and Gives Himself Up—A Revolting Scene—Anderson Says He Killed the Woman Because She Was Untrue to Him.

William Anderson killed his wife while she slept in her bed at their home at 2614 North Broadway at 5 o'clock this morning. A long life of infidelity without a hope of reform prompted him to murder the faithless wife he could not save. The neighborhood gossips are suffering torture for they know nothing of the details of the killing and they have nothing to tell each other except that the woman whose frequent "nights out" were so often the subject of their conversation is dead.

Annie Eberhardt, who lives at 1821 North Ninth street, was passing Anderson's house about 7 o'clock this morning and saw Anderson, whom she knew, standing at the foot of the stairway that leads up to his rooms. He beckoned to her and she went over to him and asked him what he wanted.

"ANNIE, I HAVE KILLED MY WIFE,"

he said, "and I want you to take care of the baby." He turned and walked away. When she had recovered from the shock the startling statement gave her Miss Eberhardt started up the stairway and saw at the head of it the little 4-year-old child the Andersons had adopted. She took it with her and started home, and on the way met Officer Kaiser, to whom she told what she had heard. He went to the house and found the dead woman's body lying on the bed in her room. The house is a two-story frame building that never has been painted and time and the weather have turned it almost black. A stairway runs along the east end on the outside, and leads to a portico from which the upper rooms are entered. The railing of the portico held a dozen or more pots of flowers and plants and vines that were climbing up the strings that were stretched for them, making a screen that kept out the sun and the curious gaze of neighbors alike. One would think a neat housewife presided there, but the interior of the apartment did not bespeak such care. Two small and dirty beds, a stove, table and two chairs were all the furniture the room held and there was no evidence of any attempt to keep the place with any care for neatness or even cleanliness.

WHEN THE OFFICER ENTERED

he saw the woman's body lying on the bed. She was a small, delicate woman and her frail frame was only partly covered by one scant garment that was torn and soiled. Her pinched, pale face was distorted and bloody. One eye was black and in the forehead was a long gash, cut to the bone and gaping wide, while the clotted blood oozed out of it and trickled down her cheek and on to the bed. Another gash in the side of the head, another in the back and three or four blue spots on her throat indicated that her slayer had choked and beaten her to death. The instrument used was found on the floor near the bed. It was a base ball bat. Both ends had been cut off, but it was still a heavy club, and it served the purpose for which Anderson had evidently prepared it.

FURTHER THAN THE STATEMENT

Anderson made to Miss Eberhardt the neighbors knew nothing. Mrs. Mamie J. Cortwell, who lives in the same house on the lower floor, said that she heard some one walking about the floor in the Anderson room about 4 o'clock this morning, but after a while the noise ceased, and she went to sleep again without thinking any more about it.

M. A. Walters, who lives on the adjoining lot, said that the Andersons frequently quarreled, but he did not know what about. All the women in the neighborhood said that Mrs. Anderson frequently left home at night against her husband's protest and they did not know at what hour of the night or morning she returned.

They could not tell why the murder was committed unless it was because of her conduct in remaining away at night, and no one knew of the cause until Anderson surrendered himself at the Four Courts and made his statement.

ANDERSON GIVES HIMSELF UP.

It was shortly after 7 o'clock when Anderson walked into the Central District Station and stated to Sergt. Thomas Boyd that he had killed his wife at 2614 North Broadway, and wished to be locked up. His wish was complied with. Anderson was nervous and excited, and his voice trembled as he spoke. His age he gave as 40 years, and he stated that he was a native of Denmark, a weaver by trade, but worked at most anything which offered itself.

THE MURDERER'S STATEMENT.

The unhappy man was pacing up and down his cell when a POST-DISPATCH reporter called at the hold-over to see him. He had been thinking of his crime and his thoughts worried him; in fact they almost distracted him. He paced back and forth like a tiger in his lair.

"I don't want to talk about it," he said to his visitor, and walked on to the other end of the cell. As he returned again to the door he was once more importuned to give his version of the affair. "You can get it from the police. It pains me to talk of it," was his reply. Once more he went off on his ceaseless, impatient round of his confined cell. Finally he was prevailed upon to relate his story, which he did in piece-meal in a jerky manner, jumping from one part of it to another. Placed together it was in substance as follows:

"I killed my wife because she kept the company of other men. She was my second wife and was in her 31st year, while I am in my 50th. I was married to her in 1877 at the Woman's Guardian Home on North Twelfth street, at which institution she had been confined. While employed in the garden there I met her, and in a few weeks we were married. She had been confined there and told me she had been adopted into the family of a minister at St. Peter, Minn., and that the minister's son was the father of her child. To get rid of her she was shipped to St. Louis. From the time we were married she has been untrue. She was constantly running with other men. I talked, pleaded and argued with her to stop her evil ways and reform, but it was all to no avail. She would not reform. Finally I could bear it no longer. I determined to kill her. My mind was made up to this long ago, but I could not commit the deed until now. She would remain from home all night. Last night she was again out. When she came home I do not know. At 4 o'clock in the morning I awoke and found her sleeping in her bed. We occupied the same room but different beds. About 5 o'clock I killed her with a base ball bat which I had in the house.

I KILLED HER WHILE SHE SLEPT.

"How could I do otherwise? She would not listen to reason. I had talked to her time and again, but it was useless. It did not effect the slightest change in her. We quarreled constantly about her running about, but now she is dead and I hope God will have mercy on her soul and that she is all right, for I know I am. I would not, I could no longer stand her keeping the company of other men."

And the tears flowed from Anderson's eyes. He stated further that he had a grown son by a former wife, but he did not live with them. They had an adopted child 4 years of age, but he had no children of his own by this wife.

COMPLIMENTED BY GLADSTONE.

The English Statesman's Letter to Dr. Sterrit of Texas.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AUSTIN, TEX., August 9.—The following letter has been received by Dr. Sterrit of the university in acknowledgment of the receipt of a copy of his "Epigraphical Journey in Asia Minor."

J. R. S. Sterrit, Esq., P. S. D., University, Austin, Tex., U. S. A.:

DEAR SIR—I thank you very much for the work you have so courteously sent me, and rejoice to see in it a further example of the Hellenic researches in which the citizens of your great country have already made such high distinction. I have the honor to be your most obedient servant,

W. E. GLADSTONE.

London, July 21, 1888.

Mr. Gladstone is not only the greatest English statesman, but he is perhaps the best authority in England on question of Homeric Greek and Hellenic antiquities. This latter fact makes the above letter very gratifying to Dr. Sterrit and creditable to the University of Texas.

HUNDREDS OF SYMPATHIZERS.

The Funeral of James Lynch, the Well-Known Irish-American.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—The funeral of James Lynch was held yesterday in St. Patrick's Cathedral in the presence of several hundred of the most prominent Irish-Americans in the city. At 10 o'clock the body was taken from his home at No. 143 West Twenty-second street, where many sympathizers had called to take a last look at the face, and removed in a hearse to the cathedral, where it was placed on a catafalque in the center aisle, close to the altar. The solemn requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. M. J. Lavelle, assisted by Father Muihearn as deacon, Father Rigley of St. Agnes Church, sub-deacon, and the Rev. T. J. McMahon, master of ceremonies. Archbishop Corrigan, wearing his purple soutane and biretta and pictorial cross, sat upon his throne within the sanctuary upon the epistle side, and at the close of the mass pronounced the absolution. The burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

Henry L. Hognet, President of the Board of the New York Catholic Protectory, was present and also James Fitzpatrick and John McLaughlin, Vice-Presidents of the Supreme Council of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, of which the dead man was President for many years. Brother Leontine, with a delegation of twelve boys, represented the Catholic protectory. Among the others present were Eugene Kelly, John P. Minch, ex-Mayor Grace, R. M. Walters, Wm. Lalor, John J. Rogers.

THE FLOWER MISSION.

Donations of Fruit, Flowers and Fans Received and Distributed.

The Flower Mission held its regular meeting yesterday at their rooms, No. 1106 Olive street. The contributions were large and varied, flowers having come in in abundance from the following places:

Kirkwood—Mrs. J. W. Andrews, J. B. Roberts, Miss Franklin, Mr. Sherman; Benton—Girls' Flower Mission. Sparta, Ill. City donations—Miss Copelin, Miss Franciscus, Mrs. Hines, Mrs. Samuels; Young, Connon, Armstrong, Waldhort, Morlen, Mint, Mrs. Blank. Literature was received from J. W. Andrews, C. King, Mrs. S. W. Barber, Mrs. Allen, Hattie and Virgie Payne, Shells, Mrs. Brier, Mrs. H. McK. Wilson, Mrs. Lonsdale. Columbia, Mo.—Money donations were received from Mrs. Samuel, $1; Miss Franciscus, $1; "A Friend," $1; A most generous donation of fans was received from the following dry goods houses: Nugent Bros., Barr's, Frank Bros., D. Crawford & Co., Penny & Gentles and Miss Burk.

A unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. George D. Barnard for printing Flower Mission circulars.

Distributions to the hospitals were made as follows: City, 250 bouquets, 100 papers, 4 dozen lemons, mint, 150 fans. Female, 150 bouquets, 150 papers, 6 dozen lemons, mint, 150 fans. Good Samaritan, 40 bouquets, 20 papers, 2 dozen lemons, mint, 12 fans. Augusta, 10 bouquets, 10 cards. St. Louis Children's, 30 bouquets, 25 cards. Protestant, 14 bouquets, 10 papers.

A BAD MAN.

Warren Simpson, Safe-Blower, Burglar, Etc., Captured by a Detective.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

ELMIRA, N. Y., August 9.—Detective Patterson of Montrose, Susquehanna County, Pa., arrived in this city last night, having in custody Warren Simpson, a safe-smasher, burglar, counterfeiter and highwayman, who recently fatally stabbed a man at a lumber camp at Herrick Center, Susquehanna County, Pa. Simpson was at the head of a desperate gang of five persons, and was also in league with the noted "cracksmen" in the country. They were a terror to the people of Susquehanna and other northern counties of Pennsylvania, and it took a great deal of detective work to run them down. Three of the quartette were captured, tried and convicted some time ago, but Simpson escaped and went into the depths of the Pennsylvania lumber regions, where he was safe until a few days ago, when he made a terrible assault on a lumberman, which will probably result in the man's death. Simpson was captured about midnight Tuesday night a few miles from Blossburg, Tioga Co., Pa., after a running fusillade between himself and Detective Patterson and a posse, and was only subdued when death from shotgun wounds in the face. A shot from Simpson's revolver went through the detective's coat sleeve, grazing the arm. The desperado was taken to Susquehanna County last night, where he will await the result of the lumberman's injuries and answer for that affair and many others.

DANNY LYONS.

The New York Murderer's Desperate Efforts to Escape the Gallows.

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NEW YORK, August 9.—Danny Lyons, the murderer, yesterday signed in his cell in the Tombs an affidavit which he hopes will stave off the execution of the death sentence upon him on Friday. It was a statement that he had been advised by his counsel that the law of 1887, which prevented him from appealing to the general term, from his conviction in General Sessions, for murdering Athlene Quinn, is unconstitutional. Lawyer Blake took the affidavit into his hands and will hand it, with other papers to Justice Patterson in the Supreme Court to-day, in an application for a stay of proceedings, pending the testing of the constitutionality of the law of 1887. This is a last desperate resort to save the neck of the condemned "tough." It is expected that District Attorney Fellows will argue against the stay to-morrow before Justice Patterson. Mr. Fellows sent yesterday to Recorder Smythe at the Howland House, Long Branch, for his approval, a letter reviewing the case, and urging Gov. Hill to firmly resist applications for mercy on Lyons' behalf. Recorder Smythe yesterday returned a dispatch to Col. Fellows that he fully agreed with Col. Fellows' presentation of the case.

AFTER MANY YEARS.

The Murderers of Sergt. Pike Arrested at Salt Lake City.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, August 9.—United States Deputy Marshals Franks and Cannon have made an arrest of two accused murderers, who, twenty-nine years ago, shot a man in cold blood upon the streets here. The principal in the murder is Howard O. Spencer, and his accomplice is George Stringham. Their victim was Sergt. Pike of the United States Army. The murder was committed in 1859, when Albert Sidney Johnston's regiment was in Utah at Camp Floyd. Howard O. Spencer, then a daring and quarrelsome young man, went down to Camp Floyd and got into a row with the soldiers. Sergt. Pike gave him a thrashing. Some time later Spencer saw Pike coming from the hotel and shot him in the back, killing him instantly. He was never even indicted and has since held a Mormon bishopric in the Southern part of the Territory, where for many succeeding years he lived. July 4 Warden Pratt saw the man in Liberty Park in this city in the employ of the municipality and recognized him. He kept a watch on him every day until the necessary papers to make an arrest were procured. The alleged abettor in the crime, George Stringham, has also been arrested.

FRANCKLYN'S SUIT.

A Commission Taking Testimony in the Case Against the London "Times."

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—A commission appointed by Queen Victoria is taking testimony in this city to be used in the libel suit brought against the London *Times* by Charles G. Francklyn, the millionaire, who was confined in Ludlow Street Jail last October on a charge of misappropriating $3,000,000 intrusted to him by his cousin, Sir Bache Cunard of England. The London *Times* on publishing the news of his arrest, is alleged to have made a mistake in stating the cause. The commission appointed consists of Messrs. Thomas S. Moore and A. H. Joline, both of this city. The latter is a member of the law firm of Butler, Stillman & Hubbard, which has thus far piloted Mr. Francklyn through his legal difficulties. The evidence which is to be collected by the commission will consist principally of the complaint and the affidavits on which the warrant for Mr. Francklyn's arrest was granted.

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The business of the session is to fill vacancies in the State ticket. The committee has not yet gathered positive information concerning the attitude of the nominees. It is expected that the Secretary will be possessed of this information by to-morrow morning when action will be taken.

It is reported that M. J. Ratchford, the Union Labor nominee for Congress in the Tenth District contemplates withdrawing from the ticket.

The Union Labor Convention.

The City Convention of the Union Labor party will be held at Central Turner Hall at 8 p. m. next Saturday, to nominate candidates for Sheriff, Coroner, Circuit Attorney, Assistant Circuit Attorney, Public Admin'strator and three Circuit Judges. The delegates elected to the Convention in Senatorial and District conventions will nominate three State Senators and fourteen Representatives.

Meetings To-Night.

This evening the Twenty-seventh Ward Democratic Club will meet at Hunt avenue and Manchester road.

As the business of the Twenty-fourth Ward Democratic League will be the selection of delegates to the State Convention, a particularly stormy meeting is expected. The meeting will take place at Garrison and Cass avenues. The wigwamites will meet at Glasgow and Cass avenues at 8 p. m., to transact the same business.

To-night the Tenth Ward Democratic League will hold its regular weekly meeting at Stolle's Hall, Thirteenth and Biddle streets.

The Cleveland and Thurman Club of the Eleventh Ward will hold an adjourned meeting to-night at 8 p. m. at Koebbe's Hall, corner Virginia avenue and Merimac street, at which every member is requested to attend, as business of great importance will be transacted.

The Twenty-seventh Ward Cleveland and Thurman Club will hold a regular meeting this evening at P. F. Heinen's Hall at Tower Grove, corner of Hunt avenue and Old Manchester road.

A meeting of the Twentieth Ward Republican Club will be held to-night at No. 2938 Market street.

The Twenty-first Ward Republican Club will meet to-night at No. 1235 Park avenue.

There will be a rally and flag-raising at Ashland and Newstead avenues to-night under the management of the Twentieth Ward Republican Club. Messrs. H. G. Rodgers, F. W. Mott, G. D. Reynolds and Charles O'Brien are booked for speeches.

A business meeting of the Glover Democratic Club of the Seventeenth Ward will be held to-night at Twenty-first and Franklin avenue.

There will be a meeting of the Fourth Ward Cleveland and Thurman Club at Broadway and Biddle street at 8 o'clock this evening.

A public meeting of the Eighth Ward Democrats will be held at Eighth and Biddle streets to-night. There will be a brass band in attendance.

A Card From Mr. Glover.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

The action of the City Central Committee of the Democratic party at its meeting last night sufficiently indicates the nature of the contest which will be before the Democracy at the primaries for the election of delegates to the State Convention upon Saturday, the 11th inst. The attempts to deceive the public and confuse the issue will be made as well. The simple question to be answered by Mr. Francis is whether his opponents are to have fair play with those members of the City Committee whom he controls. The last city convention passed a resolution obligatory upon the members of the Central Committee to protect such opposing delegations. Section 13 of the rules of the City Central Committee expressly gives to each contesting delegation a judge and clerk. It is impossible for Mr. Francis to escape from the proposition that he intends to carry those wards by fraud if this representation is denied. The Election Board poll-books contain the names of 15,000 men dead or removed.

Another indication of the desperately unfair means which it is intended shall be resorted to is the proposition to make the whole Central Committee a returning board for each ward in signing credentials. This simply means that the strong minority in the Central Committee is not to be allowed to register the verdict of the people as delivered, but that its certificate is to be overridden by that of the whole committee, in which a liberal use of the city patronage has secured to Mr. Francis a majority. To suppose that the Democrats of the city of St. Louis would submit to such a programme is a direct reflection upon their independence and their intelligence. It is a confession, also, that the City of St. Louis or a majority of its wards can be carried in no other way. It is not the opinion of any well-informed politician that Mr. Francis could carry four wards in the city under a fair ballot and an honest count. The programme adopted is unsafe for those who are expected to put it through and to take the responsibility arising from it. The City Central Committee having once called primaries under the State law, projectors of a plan like this are punishable for conspiracy to evade its provisions.

The cases are well settled upon this point. I do not say this as intending to utter a threat, but I do it to call attention to the unlawful nature of the programme laid out and with a view of deterring well meaning men from persisting in a programme which can only lead them into trouble. Yours very respectfully. JNO. M. GLOVER.

August 9, 1888.

The Mississippi County Primaries.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

CHARLESTON, Mo., August 9.—The returns are in for the primary in all but one township, and the following are the Democratic nominees: J. J. Russell, Representative; John Beauchamp, Sheriff; E. W. Ozlivie, Collector; George S. Elliott, Prosecuting Attorney; H. Stratton, Treasurer; Judges Robert Langsdale and J. C. Farris, County Judges; John C. O'Bryan, Surveyor; Geo. B. Bridges, Surveyor; W. P. Howe, Coroner; David Baker, Public Administrator; Ben F. Howlett, Constable; W. P. Swank and Chas. P. Goodin, Central Committeemen. The total vote cast is estimated at 650, while the Democratic majority for Cleveland was over 1,200.

The Meeting at Music Hall.

Mayor Francis delivered an address at the meeting at Music Hall last evening. Addresses were made by Messrs. Sam M. Kennard, Jas. M. Lewis, Jerome Hill, Michael McEnnis, Chas. Orthwein, C. C. Rainwater and Wm. Hargadine.

Resolutions indorsing the Mayor's candidacy for Governor were adopted.

Political Notes.

A meeting of the Third Ward Hendricks Club will be held to-morrow evening at 704 South Fourth street.

The Claiborne Club of the Thirteenth Ward will meet to-morrow evening at St. Boniface's Hall, Carondelet.

A big meeting of the Twenty-fifth Ward Republicans will be held on Saturday evening at Ewing and Chouteau avenues.

The new rooms of the Young Men's Republican League at No. 411 North Third street will shortly be ready for occupancy.

A new Republican club was organized in the Sixteenth Ward last night. C. F. Wennecker was elected Temporary Chairman.

A Democratic mass meeting will be held at Tenth and Market streets to-morrow night under the auspices of the First Ward Hendricks Club.

A meeting of Democrats of the Twenty-first Ward at Mississippi and Chouteau avenues to-morrow night will be addressed by Col. J. R. Claiborne.

The Retail Liquor Merchants' Protective Association met yesterday afternoon at Broadway and Biddle streets and resolved to oppose all candidates favoring prohibitory laws.

At an anti-Francis meeting at Turner Hall, Carondelet, last night N. J. Cortney was nominated for delegate to the State Convention, Dr. L. N. Hornsby to the Judicial Convention.

A joint meeting of the Ninth and Twenty-third Ward Cleveland and Thurman Clubs will be held to-morrow evening at the Ninth Ward headquarters. An address will be made by Mr. S. S. Bass.

The Twentieth Ward anti-Francis men nominated delegates last night. Dr. Gib W. Carson and C. F. Stephens were named to make the race for delegate to the State Convention. Messrs. Wilbur F. Boyle and F. X. McCabe were named for the Judicial Convention.

The Nineteenth Ward Hendricks Club heard a long address on the campaign issues from Wm. C. Marshall last night. The club then nominated Messrs. Martin Duddy and Patrick McDonald as delegates to the Judicial Convention at Springfield on the 15th inst. The club, after the meeting, marched to the Exposition Building, where the Francis meeting was in session. Another meeting of the club will be held to-morrow evening.

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The Union Labor Ticket.

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The business of the session is to fill vacancies in the State ticket. The committee has not yet gathered positive information concerning the attitude of the nominees. It is expected that the Secretary will be possessed of this information by to-morrow morning when action will be taken.

It is reported that M. J. Ratchford, the Union Labor nominee for Congress in the Tenth District contemplates withdrawing from the ticket.

The Union Labor Convention.

The City Convention of the Union Labor party will be held at Central Turner Hall at 8 p. m. next Saturday, to nominate candidates for Sheriff, Coroner, Circuit Attorney, Assistant Circuit Attorney, Public Admin'strator and three Circuit Judges. The delegates elected to the Convention in Senatorial and District conventions will nominate three State Senators and fourteen Representatives.

Meetings To-Night.

This evening the Twenty-seventh Ward Democratic Club will meet at Hunt avenue and Manchester road.

As the business of the Twenty-fourth Ward Democratic League will be the selection of delegates to the State Convention, a particularly stormy meeting is expected. The meeting will take place at Garrison and Cass avenues. The wigwamites will meet at Glasgow and Cass avenues at 8 p. m., to transact the same business.

To-night the Tenth Ward Democratic League will hold its regular weekly meeting at Stolle's Hall, Thirteenth and Biddle streets.

The Cleveland and Thurman Club of the Eleventh Ward will hold an adjourned meeting to-night at 8 p. m. at Koebbe's Hall, corner Virginia avenue and Merimac street, at which every member is requested to attend, as business of

A QUIET CONFERENCE.

AN ATTEMPT TO CONCEAL THE OBJECT OF THE ENGINEERS' MEETING.

Representatives of the Brotherhood From All Parts of the Country Present—Chief Arthur Arrives in the City—Chief Sargent of the Locomotive Firemen and Chief Murnigan of the Railway Switchmen Invited Guests—Chief Arthur's Non-Committal—Sargent's Statement—A Union of All Railroad Employes the Real Object of the Gathering—Importance of the Conference.

The corridors of the Laclede Hotel were filled this morning with a crowd of delegates to the conference of the Chairmen of the Grievance Committees of the various lodges of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Representatives from all parts of the country were present as well as several from Canada, fully 100 men being in the city and more being on the way. Grand Chief P. M. Arthur arrived at 8:30, and at once proceeded to the rooms reserved for him, where he was in close conference with a number of the brotherhood.

CHIEF ARTHUR'S STATEMENT.

A POST-DISPATCH reporter called upon Chief Arthur and asked him the object of the meeting. "I called the meeting," Mr. Arthur replied, "for the purpose of consulting with the Chairmen of the Grievance Committees in relation to the Burlington strike and other matters of general interest. The call was general, and not confined to any particular section, as all engineers are interested."

"In relation to the Burlington strike, Mr. Arthur, is it true, as stated by Chairman Vedder of the Gould lines, that the engineers are still as confident of winning as ever, and are perfectly satisfied with the present situation?"

"Yes, that is true; the men are satisfied."

"What is your feeling about the matter?"

"My private opinion it would be improper for me to express, and I must decline to do so."

"What truth is there in the report that a union between the engineers, firemen and switchmen is contemplated, and that the real object of this meeting is to arrange terms of union?"

"I have seen a great deal about that in the papers and heard some talk of the same tenor, both among brotherhood men and others, but have no official knowledge of any such intention. The meeting is not called for any such purpose."

"What, then, is the significance of the presence of Chief Sargent of the locomotive firemen and the expected arrival of Chief Murnigan of the Switchmen's Union?"

"They are here," replied Chief Arthur, after a pause, "simply because they represent men interested in the Burlington strike. As a body neither the firemen nor the switchmen will be represented in the present meeting, which is one of locomotive engineers alone, but several invited guests from the other organizations will be present in their individual capacity."

"Can you say that no union among the railway employes, which shall include all workmen, is contemplated?"

"It would be premature to express any opinion on that subject at present."

"Will the question come up at the present meeting?"

"That I do not know. In fact, beyond what I have already said, there is nothing that I can now add to what I have already told you."

CHIEF SARGENT SPEAKS.

F. P. Sargeant, who is stopping at Hurst's, arrived this morning, and was engaged in close conference with several members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. "I am here as an invited guest," said he in reply to a question addressed him by a POST-DISPATCH reporter, "and not as a representative of my brotherhood. I traveled with Chief Arthur, and he told me that the meeting was called to consider matters in relation to the Burlington strike."

"Is there any truth in the report that it was called to arrange terms of union between the different railroad labor organizations?"

"Not as far as I know. Chief Arthur said nothing to me in reference to such a plan."

"What is the position of affairs on the Burlington?"

"The men seem satisfied, and probably have reason to be."

THE TRUE OBJECT OF THE MEETING.

A gentleman familiar with the affairs of the engineers, firemen and switchmen said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter: "Whatever the men may say there is no doubt that the real object of the meeting is to arrange a union between the various railroad laborers, as outlined in yesterday's POST-DISPATCH. I am in a position to know the tenor of the, telegrams that have passed, and can state positively that if a union were not contemplated the present meeting would not have been called. The Burlington strike is but a pretext, as that matter was exhaustively discussed by the engineers at the St. Joseph meeting, and nothing has since arisen which would justify the chairmen of the Grievance Committees from all parts of the United States, and even from Canada, to go over the same ground again. Whether a union will be effected is quite another question. The engineers, and their allies, the firemen, are by no means popular among the Knights of Labor, on account of the exclusive attitude assumed by the engineers. Demands will be made on both sides which will give rise to much controversy, and the engineers, if a union is effected, will have to repeal the article in their constitution forbidding members of the brotherhood connecting themselves with other labor societies. But the pressure to form a general union will be very strong, and I know that the general opinion is that it will be successfully carried into effect. Of course, no such result will be announced at the close of the present meeting, which is one of treaty and conference, and its decision must be ratified by assemblages of the other orders interested. But from what I know, and that is not a little, I feel sure that an organization including all railroad employes will be effected in the near future."

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SALOON MEN'S TACTICS.

Train Wreckers' Work—Shot a Drummer—Corton Compressers—Texas Topics.

DALLAS, August 9.—The Law and Order Society, inaugurated by ministers, having engaged spies to detect violators of the Sunday liquor law, the saloon men in retaliation have secured detectives to look up the private lives of the ministers. The Association of Interior Compressers of Texas has held a meeting, and believing that the port towns have discriminated against the interior in the matter of reclamation, passed a resolution requesting the railways to frame a freight tariff compelling the compressing of all cotton shipped from the interior.

GAINESVILLE, August 9.—The organization of the Bodine Coal Co., which will operate the Ardmore (I. T.) mines, has been perfected. The capital stock is $200,000. The wreck of the south-bound Texas Central train near Waco on Tuesday evening, in which the engineer, J. R. Moses, lost his life, was the work of train-wreckers.

DALLAS, August 9.—S. E. Lane, a compositor, has shot and seriously wounded J. W. Wilson, a local drummer, for besmirching the character of Lane's betrothed.

A NEW deal in Dog Biscuit, five pounds Spratt's Fibrine in neat cardboard box for 50 cents at C. & W. McClean's, 410 and 412 North Broadway.

Mr. Jerome's Condition.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

SHARON, Conn., August 9.—The following regarding Mr. Jerome was given out by the attending physician:

Though still extremely critical, there has been a slight improvement in Mr. Lawrence Jerome's condition. The pulse and respiration have both diminished in frequency, and last night was the most comfortable one since Sunday. C. H. SHEARS, M. D.

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ATTACKING A BIG MONOPOLY.

Important Suits in New York Against the Sugar Trust.

NEW YORK, August 9.—A determined advance was begun yesterday upon the Sugar Trust by the citizens who have undertaken to relieve the consumers from the exactions of that monopoly. Two suits were begun in the Supreme Court, which, when they are brought to trial, will cause, it is promised, some queer revelations concerning the means used by the combination in reaching its present great power. The first suit is against the Sugar Refineries Co., on the ground that it has usurped corporate franchises to which it has no possible rights; the second suit is against a corporation in the Trust. The motive of the first action is to break up the board of eleven men, self-styled the "Sugar Refineries Co.," and of the second to forfeit the corporate charter. The actions will be controlled by Attorney-General Tabor, who will be present at the trials, which will begin in September and which will be tried by jury. The cases are regarded by the promoters of the suits as test ones, to ascertain whether the existing law is adequate for the suppression of trust combinations. The papers in the first suit were served yesterday on John E. Saries, Jr., as a member of the Sugar Refineries Co., and those in the second on Mr. Sarles, as President of the North River Sugar Refining Co.

The complaints mention eight other causes of action. They declare that the North River Sugar Refining Co., after its organization for the purpose of establishing a monopoly of the manufacture and sale of refined sugar, combined with all the other sugar refineries in New York and in many other States. The companies mentioned as interested in the monopoly are Havemeyer's and Elder's, the Decastro & Donner Sugar Refining Co., F. O. Matthiessen & Wiecher's Sugar Refining Co., Havemeyer Sugar Refining Co., Brooklyn Sugar Refining Co., the firms of Dick & Meyer, Moller, Sierck & Co., the North River Sugar Refining Co., the firm of Oxnard Bros., the Standard Sugar Refinery Co., the Bay State Sugar Refinery, the Boston Sugar Refining Co., the Continental Sugar Refinery and the Revere Sugar Refinery. These companies, the complaints continue, transferred their capital stock to the Sugar Refineries Co., and received from the board constituting the latter certificates to an amount greatly in excess of the amount of the stock assigned to the board. By virtue of this control the board regulates at will the production and price of refined sugar in the United States, and has arbitrarily limited the production and increase of the price. The combination being the companies, the complaint continues, creates and constitutes a monopoly and is injurious to trade and commerce; and by entering into the agreement defendants violated the law and abused its powers, and so has forfeited its charter and becomes liable to be dissolved. The board is also charged with having transcended its powers, with agreeing it would divide the profits of its business with the other companies and would share their losses; with having consolidated with the companies in order in confederacy so that the board might at will suspend the business of the companies contrary to the provisions of the act under which it was incorporated. The complaint concludes that during 1888 the company has wilfully neglected to publish any report of its transactions as demanded by law, and has so violated its rights under the act.

What the Doctors Say.

ST. LOUIS, July 25, 1888.

Richardson-Taylor Med. Co.:

GENTLEMEN—During the past three months I have prescribed "Taylor's Sure Chill Cure" in some ten or twelve cases of biliousness, malarial troubles and constipation, also in one case of cholera morbus, and in one threatened attack of malarial fever, and in every instance it has given the most complete satisfaction.

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WORSE THAN FIENDS.

The Brutal Assault on an Old Polish Woman at South Amboy.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—A case in which the most fiendish brutality was exhibited was unearthed by a detective from New Brunswick, N. J., at South Amboy yesterday. The detective was engaged in picking up clews in the Griffin murder case, when he incidentally learned of a horrible outrage having been committed upon an old Polish woman, Rosella Wysocks, by George Grabosh and Abraham Snyder, in a disreputable quarter of the town. He found the apartment of the woman, where a horrifying spectacle met his gaze. The woman lay upon a ragged pallet, breathing faintly. Bending over her, he was startled upon beholding that her lips had been torn from her mouth and that teeth of both jaws were visible where the cheeks had been torn in a horrible manner. Her gray hair was matted with blood and several gory wounds appeared in the skull. She was unconscious. From the Polish-living in the neighborhood a report was learned of the cause of the crime. Some days ago Mrs. Wysocks, who is a widow 50 years old, incurred the enmity of Grabosh and Snyder, the latter being her stepson. On Monday, while the woman was alone, these men entered the dining apartment with the evident intention of murdering her. Grabosh seized a hammer and beat her over the head, while Snyder, it is said, fastened his teeth in her cheeks, biting one at a time and ejecting them on the floor, where they were subsequently found lying beside the blood-stained hammer.

Although the outrage was known at South Amboy within half an hour of its occurrence there was not a physician who would volunteer to go to the victim's aid. Finally a negro physician, who lives at Milltown, a suburban village of New Brunswick, took the case in charge and found her in almost a dying condition. He said last night that she might recover with careful nursing, although it was not probable. After a search Detective Oliver succeeded in capturing the fiends who committed the outrage. They were handcuffed and taken to New Brunswick and fully committed for trial. When the full details of the crime were known at South Amboy there was some talk of lynching the brutes, but they were then far out of the reach of an angry mob which had clustered about the house of the unfortunate woman.

$5 to Cincinnati and Return.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will run a grand excursion to Cincinnati and return on Sunday, August 19, at $5 for round trip, with limit of several days returning. Tickets may be purchased now.

For tickets and further information call at O. & M. Ry. offices, 101 and 103 North Fourth street under Planters' House, St. Louis, Mo.

HOTEL PERSONALS.

John A. Fitch, Cleveland, O., and W. Holtkamp, Chicago, are at the St. James.

J. G. Spitzer, Purcell, I. T.; J. W. Leonard, Memphis, and F. Brin, Terrell, Tex., are at Hurst's.

J. Hogan, Jamestown, N. Y.; C. O. Parmelee, Denver, Colo., and D. Barnes, Buffalo, N. Y., are at the Hotel Hunt.

W. E. Simpson, Tex.; John Brigham, Pueblo; H. K. Greer, Macon, Mo. and W. J. Thompson, Little Rock, Ark., are at the Laclede.

R. S. McAllister, Denver; D. E. Foster, New York; George F. Bachereder, Leadville, and S. J. Beauchamp, Little Rock, are at the Planters'.

John A. Platt, Providence, R. I.; E. R. Pope, Boston; Edward King, Chicago; I. S. Deutch, Cincinnati and M. L. Manion, New York are at the Lindell.

F. B. Dubach, Hannibal, Mo.; John K. Wise, Indianapolis; F. F. Gibson, New York; K. G. Lowe, Galveston; A. B. Cowley, New York, and F. G. Tryman, Marshall, Tex., are at the Southern.

PERSONS who lead a life of exposure are subject to rheumatism, neuralgia and lumbago and will find a valuable remedy in Dr. J. H. McLean's Volcanic Oil Liniment; it will banish pain and subdue inflammation.

IN SOCIETY CIRCLES.

NEWS CONCERNING THE MOVEMENTS OF ST. LOUIS PEOPLE.

Ladies and Gentlemen Who Are Visiting Friends or Touring the Country—Personal Paragraphs—Society Gossip—A Party in Honor of Miss Marie Hilger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carpenter have gone this week to Alton.

Mrs. B. F. Hobart is passing the summer at Magnolia Beach.

Mrs. Lake H. Hite is spending the week with relatives in Illinois.

Miss Wolff has been spending the past week with Miss Kate Powell.

Miss Little has been spending the past week with Miss Alice Roberts.

Mrs. A. F. Beall is entertaining this week her brother from Illinois.

Mr. J. H. Clements left on Tuesday to join his friends at Green Lake.

Miss Lizzie Anderson has gone to Mexico to spend August with friends.

Miss Bettie Hillegeist has left for the North to be absent until October.

Miss Julia Miller of Ferguson left on Sunday to visit relatives at Auburn, N. Y.

Miss Claudine Hunt has returned from a visit to Miss Pettibone at Louisiana, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Battle left on Tuesday evening to visit relatives in Kentucky.

Miss Marie Hilger has returned home after a delightful visit to friends in the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jenkins and daughters are with her parents at Ocean Grove.

Miss Rosa McCausland of Benton has gone to Virginia to spend the summer with relatives.

Misses Callie and Maggie Woodward are spending the summer in St. Paul with their aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson left on Tuesday to spend his vacation on the lakes and in Canada.

Mrs. Mary Bauer left the city on Tuesday to spend the remainder of the summer at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Tillie Lacey is spending the summer with her parents, Judge and Mrs. Waters, at Ft. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Brooks of Delmar avenue left yesterday for Waukesha to spend the month of August.

Miss Lily Trauernicht has been spending the past month visiting relatives at various points in Illinois.

The Misses Lumaghi have returned from a pleasant visit to Mrs. A. Sumner at her country home in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew of Ferguson left a few days ago for Baxter Springs, where she will remain until October.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reeves of Cairo stopped for a day or two with friends this week en route to Niagara Falls.

Miss Kittie Woodward and her sister, Miss Clara Woodward, have gone with friends from Boston to the seaside.

Mrs. Wm. A. Stickney is at Block Island with her children, where she will be joined by Mr. Stickney in a few days.

Misses Lillian Brown and Nettie Ridgely of Bunker Hill have arrived this week to visit their cousin, Miss Kate Smith.

Misses A. X. Koch and E. L. Cuvier left on Tuesday evening to join a party of friends at Bay Shore for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Meier, accompanied by Miss Leonard, left on Tuesday to spend the month of August at Elkhart Lake, Wis.

Miss Laura Green, who has been spending the past week with St. Louis friends, returned on Saturday to her home at Collinsville.

Miss Genevieve Sampson and Miss Jessie Herries have returned home after a pleasant visit to friends in the interior of the State.

Mrs. James M. Loring of Bell avenue, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Bell Loring, arrived this week at Old Point Comfort.

Mrs. Julius S. Walsh, after a delightful visit to the White Sulphur Springs, has returned home and leaves to-day for Eureka Springs.

Mr. John K. Tiffany left last week for Virginia, and will on his return bring with him his family, who have been summering in Virginia.

Mrs. Eugene Coddington of North St. Louis returned yesterday, after an absence of a couple of months visiting relatives in the North.

Mrs. H. L. Morrill returned on Tuesday with her daughter, Miss Edge Morrill, from a trip East, having spent the last week at Saratoga Springs.

Miss Fannie Rankin, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Parcells of Page avenue, has returned to her home at Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Reed, with their daughters, Misses May and Lulu Reed, left last night for Niagara Falls and a tour of the Eastern resorts.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Crawford and her daughter, Miss Jessie Crawford, returned yesterday from Canada, where they have been spending the past six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Farrar and family will return the latter part of the month from Shrewsbury Park, where they have been spending the heated term.

Mrs. Tarleton of New Orleans is spending several weeks in the city with her mother, en route for California, where her husband has gone for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. Eva Thrasher of El Paso, Tex., accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Geo. M. Coffee, arrived this week from Carthage and are spending several days with St. Louis friends.

Mrs. J. Ross Appler with her baby Lulu, and Master Harry Collier, left this week to visit her mother, Mrs. Peter Fennell, at Boonville, Mo. From there they go to the Ozark Mountains.

Mrs. P. H. Mellon left last night accompanied by her daughters, Misses Belle and Susie Mellon, to spend the remainder of the season at the Northern lakes. They went direct to St. Paul.

Mrs. O. H. Peckham has left Utica, N. Y., where she has been with her parents, and has gone to the Adirondacks for the benefit of her little son, who is still enfeebled from the effects of diphtheria.

Miss Rosalie Kaufman when last heard from was enjoying a trip up the Hudson with a party of friends. Upon her return to New York City she will be joined by her brother, Mr. S. M. Kaufman.

The young ladies interested in the Catholic church at Ferguson will give a lawn party on Saturday evening, upon the spacious grounds of Mr. W. S. Bensberg, where they will dispense refreshments, the sum realized from the sale to be devoted to the church.

A very delightful party was tendered Miss Marie Hilger on Tuesday evening upon her return from the country. The original intention was to have a lawn party and the place was beautifully decorated with Chinese lanterns, and tarpaulins were spread for the dance, but owning to the inclemency of the weather the guests repaired to the parlors, which were elaborately decked with cut flowers in various designs, where the evening was pleasantly spent with charades, music and dancing. After 11 o'clock the choicest refreshments were served. Among the many guests present were Misses E. Kilgen, Hermanns, Maus, Hilger, Hancks, and Misses Eugie Ludwig, Tillie Steinwender, Ida Gempp, Dudie Scholten, Minnie Boring, Tillie Krieckhaus, Laura and Tillie Stiefel, Messrs. Hathaway, Harkins, Strasburger, Hetzel, Uhri, Hauck, Raupel, Petri, Gempp and others.

Caused by Financial Troubles.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

OTTAWA, Ill., August 9.—William Furlong, a highly respected young man of this city, committed suicide Tuesday evening. He went into the A. O. U. W. Hall, closed the doors and windows, turned on the gas and calmly sat down in a chair to suffocate. The cause of the deed was financial troubles.

Coal Near Austin, Tex.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

AUSTIN, Tex., August 9.—A very rich vein of pure coal has been discovered in the mountains twenty-three miles west of this city. It crops out of a rough bluff and indications are that it is there in abundance. Samples tested show it is of very superior quality. Experts will make a thorough investigation of the locality.

Missouri Pacific Train Robbed.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., August 9.—It has been learned that the Missouri Pacific train was robbed of mail between Washington and St. Louis on the evening of the 4th inst. Drafts to the amount of $15,000 or more were taken, but they have been recovered, though the thief escaped.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Items of Interest and Gossip From the Adjacent Towns.

Bowling Green, Mo., August 8.—Johnson Moseley and family left yesterday for a six-weeks' trip through Colorado.—Misses Annie and Nellie Goodman of Clarksville are visiting friends here.—Mrs. H. M. Strother and children are going to Warrensburg this week to visit relatives.—Prof. O. H. Teide and wife of Iowa are visiting relatives here. They will reside in future at Columbia, Mo.—Gabriel Phillips is confined to his room with a serious attack of sciatic rheumatism.—Corn and oats have been considerably damaged by recent winds and rains.

Centralia, Mo., August 8.—Rev. J. D. Vincil of St. Louis preached at the M. E. Church Tuesday evening.—Miss Lorena Sparks has returned to her home at Shelbina, Mo.—Mrs. J. W. Shores is spending a few weeks with relatives at Curryville, Mo.—Mrs. J. O. Tinsley has been called to Benton City by the illness of her mother.—Mrs. A. D. Gregory is visiting her parents in Illinois.—Miss Lillie Hopkins of Mexico is a guest of Misses Jennie and Mattie Karnes.—Prof. L. J. Hall will teach at Montgomery City the ensuing year. A number of buildings are now being erected in Centralia.—A. B. Wheeler has located here to practice law.—Claud White of near Rocheport, Mo., visited here this week.—J. M. Gahan has returned from Illinois.—Miss Laura Proctor of Sturgeon has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. J. M. Gahan.—G. E. Shook and family and Mrs. F. J. Norris have come here to reside.—W. W. Woolfolk and family have come here to reside, and Mrs. Woolfolk has opened a book and jewelry store.

Gillespie, Ill., August 7.—The new railroad depot is nearly finished.—Both the coal mines here and in Clyde are working steady.—Wheat, oats and hay harvest is over, and is very satisfactory.—Wheat threshing has commenced, and turns out better than expected.—The rains of last week helped corn wonderfully.—Mr. Wm. Jones is putting up a nice dwelling house.—Mr. White has returned from Iowa.—Mrs. Stebleh was called to Bunker Hill to her sick mother.—Mr. Aug. Wiest, Jr., and wife from St. Louis, and Mrs. George Wells with her two children from Honey Point visited their father, August Wierts, last week; also Mr. William Behrns and Mr. Kaiser of Mt. Olive.

New Florence, Mo., August 8.—An abundance of rain has fallen during the week past and has made a fine crop a certainty.—All is quiet in political circles now. There has been a dearth of candidates for some time.—During the thunder storm last week Mr. Arch Hatchett's barn was struck and badly damaged and his corncrib was set on fire by the same bolt, although it stood thirty feet distant.—At the old settlers' reunion last Saturday were Mrs. Jennie Bogle of Richmond, Mo.; Mrs. Mary J. Sholl and Lon Maughs of Denison, Tex., Mrs. Fannie James and Mrs. Christian of St. Louis.

Nokomis, Ill., August 7.—Miss Stuckey of Litchfield is visiting the family of Mr. S. Dennan.—Prof. W. H. Davis of Fairfield was here Saturday.—Miss Maggie Strain has returned home from Douglas County.—Mrs. H. W. Whitney of Litchfield is visiting relatives here.—Rev. McDavid of Irving preached to the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning.—G. H. Spannagel has returned from a trip at Chicago.—Mrs. Armina Gaskell of Mowequa has been visiting friends here the past week.—Miss Kate Frazier has returned from a visit with friends at Hillsboro.—Miss Letta Busby of Pana has been visiting friends in this locality.—Mrs. Lina Van Hoosser and daughter Clara, of Carlinville made a visit with relatives here last week.—Threshing has been delayed some on account of the continued rains of the past few days.—Wm. Todd, a prominent young man of Hillsboro, but formerly of this place, is here the guest of his parents. He will be admitted to the bar next month, pass ing his examination at Mt. Vernon.—A game of base ball played here July 31 between the Nokomis and Ramsey Clubs resulted in a victory for the latter, the score being 15 to 10.—The members of the M. E. Church and other prominent citizens are making a move towards building a new church edifice on the site of the present one. The amount necessary for erecting the same has nearly all been subscribed.—The Nokomis Coal Co. have ordered another assessment on their capital stock of 90 per cent, payable September 3. Work on the prospect hole is being pushed rapidly. A depth of over two hundred and fifty feet has already been reached.

St. Charles, Mo., August 8.—Miss Clara Clauss is visiting relatives in St. Louis this week.—Mr. Egon Overall left yesterday for Kansas City to make a short visit, and from there he will go to Waukesha.—Mr. Robert Barton returned to his home in Peru, Ill., yesterday.—Dr. Briesce of Portage visited our town Tuesday.—Miss Alby Walker returned Monday from St. Louis, where she spent several weeks with relatives.—Miss Lottie Geier of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. T. A. Geier.—Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn of St. Louis are visiting her parents at this place.—Mrs. John Seckler of Leavenworth, Kan., has arrived and will spend the remainder of the summer with her sister, Mrs. Tom Robbins.

Taylorville, Ill., August 8.—A missionary concert was given at the Christian Church on Monday evening consisting of vocal and instrumental music, recitations, etc., followed by an ice cream sociable.—Hon. D. D. Ricks, Democratic candidate for Secretary of State, is circulating among the people in the southern part of the State this week.—Rev. A. J. Harlan and wife have returned from an extended visit in the northern part of the State.—Hon. James B. Ricks, Chief Pension Examiner of Washington, D. C., was in the city on Monday visiting his family.—A fishing party consisting of Messrs. C. A. Morrison, J. E. Bradley, W. P. Overand, Ed Neece and A. M. Young went to Breckenridge Mills Saturday evening returning Monday morning. They report a fine catch of blue channel cat.—Mrs. J. R. Turner, from Arkansas, has been the guest of Mrs. Prof. Hall for a few days, during the past week.—Miss Jennie Lindwiler of Hillsboro, an accomplished young lady, is the guest of Miss Julia Anderson.—Jas. W. Collection has returned to his law studies in the office of W. M. Provine, after an absence of several weeks.—Miss Anna Duncan is in Stonington visiting Miss Ode Emerson.—Ed Strenth, Court conveyer in this city on Monday, Hon. Reuse J. Phillips of Hillsboro, presiding Judge.—A. D. Webb and O. W. Reed addressed a Republican meeting at Assumption last Friday night.—O. W. Dodge of Sterling, Dak., will return to this county this week to take charge of the public school at Owaneco.—Mrs. Sarah A. Demotte of Clarksdale was the guest of Mrs. L. A. Murphy the first of the week.—P. H. Hickey is in Chicago attending the races.—Mr. and Mrs. Bourn have removed from Atlanta to this city.—A. W. Johnson, who has been seriously ill during the past two weeks, is able to attend to business again.

Vienna, Ill., August 8.—G. H. Bridges got his foot cut off at the planing mill of Geo. E. Levings & Bro. Saturday.—W. N. Stanley was bitten by a copperhead snake Saturday, seriously but not fatally.—Democrats organized a Cleveland and Thurman Club here of eighteen members.—John Kenin, an escaped convict from the Chester Penitentiary, was captured here and returned Monday.—The Johnson County Agricultural Society met Tuesday and let contracts for fencing, building, printing, etc.—James C. Chapman has gone to New York on business.—The teachers are convened at this place for this week with Prof. Parkinson of Carbondale at their head.—The C., V. & C. R. R. are making some good improvements in the way of side tracks, etc., here.—W. H. Boles addressed the Prohibition people of this county at the Court-house Tuesday.—Quite a number of our citizens with Cairo friends are enjoying the health waters of Dixon Springs during the warm season.

White Hall, Ill., August 8.—Capt. A. D. Nash is in Alton this week.—Judge Henderson and family of Carrollton are here visiting the Maxwells.—Ephraim Young and wife of Winchester visited here Sunday.—L. Abraham of this city is on his way from Europe on the same ship with Jas. G. Blaine.—Misses Dollie and Mamie Neece returned from Jersey County yesterday.—Miss Nellie Bringle of Winchester is visiting Miss Floy Cochrane.—Miss Laura Lowenstein is very sick. Her death is hourly expected.—C. J. Herkhart is down with fever and cannot recover.—L. Oswald and Wm. Forster are able to be out after a hard spell of sickness.—Sneak thieves are numerous around here. Several residences were entered this week.—The late rains have damaged the corn considerably, and also the wheat that is not stacked.

The Single Tax System.

JACKSON, Mich., August 9.—At the annual convention of the Michigan State Assembly K. of L. yesterday the delegation to the National Assembly, which meets next fall, were instructed to urge upon that body the adoption as a part of the principles of the Knights of Labor the single tax system advocated by Henry George.

A WELL-MADE hunting coat with game pockets is now sold for $5 cents and a nice corduroy for $5, with a dozen styles and prices between the two at C. & W. McClean's, 410 and 412 North Broadway.

AMUSEMENTS.

UHRIC'S CAVE.
The Conrad English Opera Company.
TO-NIGHT LAST PERFORMANCE OF AMORITA.
Friday and Saturday—THE VICE ADMIRAL.
Sunday night—BLACK HUSSAR.
Seats at Balmer & Weber's, Southern and Lindell Hotels.

Kensington Gardens, Cable Amphitheater.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!
THIS (Thursday) EVENING, AUGUST 9.
PAIN'S LAST DAYS OF POMPEII.
SUPERLATIVELY THE WORLD'S GREATEST Open Air Spectacle
First Time in America, Pain's Prize
Aerial Spreaders,
The Largest Ever Fired.
Mayor Francis Night.
FIRE PORTRAIT OF MAYOR FRANCIS and extra fireworks display on this occasion.
General admission, including round trip on Narrow-Gauge Railroad 35c
Reserved chairs, 25c extra.
Welcome Home the Champions!
SPORTSMAN'S PARK.
It Costs but 25 CENTS now to see the American Association Championship Games. Grand Stand, 50 Cents.
TO-MORROW,
The Great Athletics
vs.
St. Louis Browns.
Game called at 4 p. m.
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A SURE MOTH-DESTROYER.
Cheap, Effectual and Harmless.
Simmons Hardware Co., Wm. Barr Dry Goods Co., D. Crawford & Co., and all Retail Druggists.

Mr. John S. Moffitt of the Richardson Drug CO., St. Louis, writes regarding the

"The goods are selling rapidly. I find the Felt Tooth Polisher to be all that you claim for it, and, in a word, it is a ready cleanser and polisher."

A luxury. An economy. A necessity. For Old and Young. First cost, 60 cents, for holder and box of 18 Felt Polishers; later only need be renewed, 25 cents per box; holder imperishable. At all dealers or mailed by HORSEY M'F'G CO., Utica, N. Y.

ASK FOR LIEBIG COMPANY'S
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EXTRACT of MEAT
and insist upon no other being substituted for it.
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Sold by Storekeepers, Grocers and Druggists.

Newland's College of Midwifery AND LYING-IN INSTITUTE.
This is the only institute of the kind in the West in which regular physicians lecture, and which is connected with a lying-in institute, so that students will receive practical and theoretical lessons. Male and female students admitted. Each regular term will commence March and September every year. Ladies who expect their confinement recommended.
DR. H. NEWLAND, 1205 Chouteau av.

DRUNKENNESS,
Or the Liquor Habit, Positively Cured by Administering Dr. Haines' Golden Specific.
It can be given in a cup of coffee or tea without the knowledge of the person taking it; it is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or a confirmed wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure had followed. IT NEVER FAILS. The system once impregnated with the Specific, it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. For sale by M. W. Alexander, Broadway and Olive st.; Richardson Drug Co., 4th and Clark av.; Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., 6th and Washington av.; J. S. Merrell Drug Co., 620 Washington av., St. Louis, Mo.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.
St. de Chantal Academy of the Visitation
FOR YOUNG LADIES,
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For particulars or prospectus, address
THE SUPERIOR.
Can be reached by all the West End cars.

Beethoven Conservatory.
Largest music school in the west. Established 1871 in the City of St. Louis at 1003 Olive st. All branches of music taught by excellent teachers. Fall term opens first Monday in September, 1888. Send for circular to A. WALDAUER, Director.

DIED.

EDWARDS—On August 9, GEORGE EDWARDS, only son of John and Louisa Sternecker, nee Ells, aged 10 months.

Funeral will take place from residence, 1511 North Fifteenth street, Friday, August 10, at 2 p. m.

Dublin papers please copy.

WHITSETT—UNDERTAKER, cor. Exposition; embalming guaranteed or forfeit $100.

Germania Club Picnic.

The Germania Club will give a picnic next Saturday evening at Bodeman's Grove, beginning at 7 o'clock. The festivities will commence with a concert, followed by dancing. Arrangements have been made with the street-car lines providing for the comfortable return of all participants.

A Lawn Party.

The ladies of the Church of the Redeemer will give a lawn party this evening at the residence of Dr. Morgan, 1900 North Grand avenue. An enjoyable time is anticipated, and all their friends are cordially invited to be present.

Notice of Democratic Primary Election.

A primary election will be held in pursuance of and subject to the provisions of the act concerning primary elections, approved March 27, 1875, in the several wards of the city of St. Louis, on Saturday, August the 11th, 1888, for the election of delegates from each of said wards to a Democratic Convention to be held on Wednesday, August 15, at the city of Springfield, Mo., for the nomination of candidates of the Democratic party for the offices of Judge of the supreme Court and Judge of the Court of Appeals, and to a Democratic Convention to be held on Wednesday, August 22, 1888, at Jefferson City, Mo., for the nomination of candidates of the Democratic party for the following offices, to-wit: Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney-General, State Treasurer, State Auditor, Register of Lands and Railroad Commissioner and fifteen electors to be chosen from the State at large and one from each Congressional District and a State Committee.

All of said officers to be voted for at the election to be held on Tuesday, November the 6th, 1888.

Whereas, The St. Louis Democratic City Convention of March, 1886, adopted a resolution declaring that in all primary elections each delegation shall be entitled to representation at each precinct and polling place; and

Whereas, Section 19 of the Rules and Regulations (now in force) of the Democratic Central Committee of the City of St. Louis declare that each such delegation shall be entitled to name a Judge and Clerk at each precinct and polling-place; and

Whereas, The City Democratic Central Committee of the City of St. Louis has refused to make provision for the enjoyment of this right by each constituent delegation by any official action of the committee as a body, and

Whereas, Diverse and sundry individual members of said committee have declared their intention to hold irregular primaries in violation of said resolutions of the convention and committee aforesaid, by which means no regular primaries of the Democratic party will be held in the wards represented by said committeemen; unless otherwise provided, and

Whereas, It is the duty of the members of the Democratic party to provide for this exigency, wherein its agents have failed to comply with their duty, therefore the undersigned members of the Democratic party have banded themselves together as a "voluntary political association," and acting upon the authority of a majority of the central committee of said association, to the ends that regular Democratic machinery may be at hand and provided for the next Democratic election in those wards and precincts in which no regular primaries, as contemplated by the resolution and rule aforesaid, are provided for by the Central Committeemen of such wards, we hereby call a primary election, under an act entitled, "An act to protect the primary elections of voluntary political associations of 4 to 7 persons in counties having over one hundred thousand inhabitants, approved March 27, 1875," to be held on

SATURDAY, THE 11TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1888, in the city of St. Louis, between the hours of 4 and 8 o'clock p. m., in the respective wards and polling places of said city, as hereinafter enumerated, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Judicial and State Conventions, to be held respectively in the city of Springfield, Mo., on the 15th day of August, 1888, and the City of Jefferson, Mo., to be held on the 22d day of August, 1888, in the following wards and precincts, to-wit:

First Ward—Polling place, northwest corner Seventh street and Clark avenue. Judges: Harry Janson, John Lane, Chas. Woods.

Second Ward—Polling place, 320 North Eighth street. Judges: James Barron, Thos. W. Hackett, Thos. Reynolds.

Third Ward—First polling place, French Market, Broadway and Chouteau avenue. Judges: John R. Godfrey, Thos. Stapleton, Chas. Lamb. Second polling place, corner Eighth and Hickory streets. Jud

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

The Trades.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—Situation by an experienced cooper; have worked on flour and coal oil barrels. Address B 55, this office. 39

Miscellaneous.

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WANTED—Situation by young man to drive delivery wagon or team. Add. C 57, this office. 43

WANTED—Situation by young man and sister in a private family; no postal cards answered. Call at 1607 Morgan st. 46

WANTED—Situation by industrious young man; porter or any other work; city ref. Address A. J. M., room 20, Hotel Hunt, 9th and Chestnut sts. 43

HELP WANTED—MALES.

Clerks and Salesmen.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Six traveling and local salesmen; salary and expenses; no experience necessary. Address with stamp, Palmer & Co., Des Moines, Ia. 54

The Trades.

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WANTED—Carpenter, at the Five-Mile House, on Olive st., by Peter Seibert. 58

WANTED—A good wagon-maker. Apply to John Koenigstein, East St. Louis.

WANTED—A good barber; wages, $8.50 per week. Fred Kunzmann, Mt. Olive, Ill. 56

WANTED—A first-class vamper and a lining setter; steady work; 409 Franklin av., F. D. Shaffer. 58

WANTED—Commercial lithographic pressman. Hudson Kimberly Publishing Co., Kansas City, Mo. 56

WANTED—Carpenters for freight-car building and repairs. Apply at Missouri Car & Foundry Co., 2800 DeKalb st. 56

WANTED—An experienced barber; must be of sober and steady habits; no others need apply; a steady job. Post-office box 426, Carlinville, Ill. 55

WANTED—A blacksmith on general farm work and horse-shoeing; small wages, but steady work the year round to right party. Address Peter Keffer, Rives, Obion County, Tenn. 58

WANTED—A man 30 to 45 years old, an American, married, competent to handle 30 to 40 men; wood-working machinery and make patterns. No one need apply except he be a quick, active, intelligent man. Apply to Hall & Brown, 1917 N. Broadway. 8

NOTICE TO ROLLING-MILL MEN—The repairs at the Granite Rolling Mills having been completed the works will start up next week. Any one desiring a position as one of the operatives will please report and have his name entered upon the list at the main office of the company, corner 2d and Cass av., not later than Thursday next, the 9th inst., as otherwise the list of operatives may be complete before his name is entered. Wm. F. Niedringhaus, Vice-President and Manager. 56

Laborers.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Colored laborers. Apply at 2301 Kosciusko st. 59

WANTED—Three laborers and five quarrymen. Theresa av. and Hickory st. 59

Boys.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Boy for evening work at drug store, 2900 Olive st. 61

WANTED—Good boy to solder tin and galvanized iron at 608 N. Levee. 61

WANTED—Colored boy in barber shop. 1409 Franklin st., corner Easton av. 61

WANTED—A boy, with some experience, to feed job press. Vibrey, 106 N. 12th st. 61

WANTED—A good industrious boy of about 19 years of age to work in factory on piece work. Apply to 821 N. 24 st. 61

WANTED—A colored boy, 15 years, to take care of horses and make himself generally useful about the house; reference required from last place. 4250 Bell av. 61

Miscellaneous.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—A buggy washer at 810 N. Leffingwell av. 62

WANTED—A man to take care of two horses and do general work around grocery store, 800 S. Ewing av. 62

WANTED—Widowaks, hustling advertising solicitor; splendid chance for good man to get permanent, paying position. Burgess, 509 N. 3d st., third floor. 62

WANTED—A trustworthy man of good habits, of unincumbered means, to represent in St. Louis old N. Y. house; salary $70 monthly; references exchanged. Supt. Mtr. House, Lock Box 1586, N. Y. 62

WANTED—On or before August 10, seven young men to learn telegraphing in our lines and take positions when qualified paying from $70, $80, $90, $100, $110, $120 to $125 per month. Apply to Supt. Union Tel. Co., 102 N. 3d st.; take elevator. 62

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—A first-class cutter, fitter and draper wishes few more engagements in families; terms this month, $1.50 per day. Ad. H 56, this office. 46

General Housework.

THE Sunday Post-Dispatch will secure you the best of help—for 5c. per line.

WANTED—Situation by a German girl to do general hous work. 3154 Easton av. 48

WANTED—Situation by a girl to do general housework; best of references. Address G 57, this office. 48

WANTED—A girl wishes a situation to do housework and nursing. Please call at 2610 Howard st. 48

STOVE REPAIRS!

For every stove or range made in the United States to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Situation by a good cook, washer and ironer; good ref. Add. H 57, this office. 49

WANTED—Situation by strong German girl to cook or do general housework; fairly competent. 2849 Chestnut st. 49

Nurses.

WANTED—By an honest and respectable girl a place to nurse or do light housework. Address D 57, this office. 50

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

Nurses.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A good nurse girl. 301 and 303 N. Main st. 70

WANTED—A German girl about 14 or 15 years as nurse. 819 N. 13th st. 70

Cooks.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—First-class cook; none other need apply. 2621 Olive st. 68

WANTED—A German girl for cooking, washing and ironing. 3502 Pine st. 68

WANTED—First-class first and second cook for small hotel. 2349 Chestnut st. 68

WANTED—A first-class cook; woman preferred; no washing. Apply 2303 Lucas place. 68

WANTED—A first-class cook and laundress; two in family; German preferred; must understand her work. Call at 4109 Washington av. 68

Miscellaneous.

IF you want work, advertise in the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Two good girls with reference. Apply at once at 3217 Lucas av. 71

WANTED—On or before August 10, seven young ladies to learn telegraphing on our lines and take positions when qualified paying from $70, $80, $90, $100, $110, $120 to $125 per month. Apply to Supt. Union Tel. Co., 102 N. 3d st.; take elevator. 71

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—In answering advertisements in this column mention the Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Agents to sell the Monogram Torch through the city and State. Address with references and locality desired. Monogram Torch Co., P. O. Box 423, St. Louis, Mo. 73

BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

WANTED—Room and board with private family by young lady who is employed during day-time; state terms, etc. Address H 56, this office. 20

WANTED—Large unfurnished room with board for gentleman, wife and two children; terms moderate; reference exchanged. Add. A 56, this office. 20

WANTED—Board by two young ladies, sisters, in a private family; nice rooms and good board in private boarding-houses; residence. Address F 57, this office. 20

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—In answering advertisements in this column mention the Post-Dispatch.

WANTED—Two rooms and kitchen, by couple without children. Address C 57, this office.

WANTED—An unfurnished room suitable for storage; not to exceed 30 per month. Add. F 57, this office. 21

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

WANTED—A 400 H. P. Corliss engine. Address W 51, this office. 28

WANTED—Some one to adopt a girl baby. Address H 57, this office. 28

WANTED—100,000 good second-hand red and fire brick; state price delivered on cars. Address T 51, this office. 26

WANTED—One boiler 20 or 22 feet long, 5 feet in diameter, with 18 or 20 6-inch flues. Address A 52, this office. 26

STORAGE.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

STORAGE—Furniture, pianos, baggage, etc., safe, reliable; rooms and separate apartments, money loaned, moving, packing and shipping (with cars) a specialty; warehouses, Jefferson av. and LaSalle st.; send for our pamphlet containing full details, cut and rates. R. U. LEONI, Jr., & CO., 1005 Olive st.

Furniture, Pianos, etc., stored; money advanced when desired; packing and shipping a specialty; moving with cars. Eugene Brown, Manager. Office: 1006 Pine st. 84

LOST AND FOUND.

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

LOST—A small brown puppy from 4266 Morgan st. Liberal reward for his return to above address. 30

LOST—On Wednesday, black collie dog with steel collar and license; suitable reward if returned to 4010 Delmar av.

LOST—Between 28th, Sheridan av. and 19th and Carr sts., gold spectacles eye-glasses. Finder return to 2811 Sheridan av. and receive $5 reward. 30

LOST—A brown alligator pocket-book containing notes and valuable papers; finder will be liberally rewarded. Return to Chas. F. Joy, 418 Olive st. 30

Assay Office Receipt Lost.

A receipt issued by the United States Assay Office, St. Louis, Mo., No. 160, dated August 4, 1888, for 130 65-100 ounces gold bullion, payable to E. O. Sloan, Secretary, or order, has been lost. The public are cautioned not to receive or negotiate the same, as his payment has been stopped at the Assay Office.

E. M. SLOAN, Secretary.

St. Louis, August 9, 1888.

YOUR advertisement in the Sunday Post-Dispatch will be read by everybody.

ALL SORTS.

ST. LOUIS MUTUAL HOUSE BUILDING CO., Office, No. 513 Walnut st., Samuel Simmons, Pres.; Hugo Erckmeyer, Sec. This loan company builds or purchases houses, at option of applicants, on monthly payment plan in St. Louis City. Prospectus at office free of charge.

BIG MUDDY COAL.
LEHIGH VALLEY ANTHRACITE.
82 J. H. SIEGRIST, 313 Olive st.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—In answering advertisements under this head mention the Post-Dispatch.

FOR SALE—Canaries; 40 singers, cheap, at 1115 Cass av., 2d floor. 5

FOR SALE—An elegant mirror, 5x7 feet, nicely framed, 1715 Market st. 5

FOR SALE—Furniture of a 3-room flat; complete for housekeeping. Ad. W 57, this office. 5

FOR SALE—One 20x30 automatic cut-off engine, now running; also two boilers. Address B 52, this office. 26

FOR SALE—A neat bed-room suit; has been in use but a short time; also parlor cook stove. 3207 Laclede av. 5

FOR SALE—Hunting-case gold watch and chain good as new; cost $100, will sell for $50; Waltham movement. Address M 57, this office. 5

FOR SALE—Furniture, cheap—I will furnish bedroom and kitchen for $25 and upward for cash or time. All goods at bottom prices. D. A. Clark, 111 N. 12th st. 5

MASTIFF dog "Cortes," 2 years old, excellent pedigree; services $25. Fanciers' Ass'n., 215 Market.

E. A. SKEELE, furniture dealer, selling off at closs figures, for cash or on time payment, to close out. 210 and 212 N. 7th st.; store for rent. 5

1,000 UNREDEEMED gold and silver watches, 2,000 rings, 500 clocks and large quantities of gold and silver chains, bracelets, jewelry, etc., for sale cheap, at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av.

ON TIME PAYMENTS.

I will furnish your house with good or medium furniture cheaper than any other furniture house in the city. Call and be convinced for yourself. H. Walker, 206 N. 12th, between Olive and Pine.

WANT advertisements in the Sunday Post-Dispatch will reach every reader.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

$3,750 WILL BUY the prettiest little cottage home in the line of the Narrow Gauge Railroad on the west side of Thornby place, between Gartner and Maple avenues. Holmes Station; beautiful lot, 50x200; fine shade trees and shrubbery; good cistern and all conveniences. This is a bargain.

CHAS. C. NICHOLLS,
9 713 Chestnut st.

PROFESSIONAL.

PILES, fistula, irritable ulcers, etc., a specialty. FRANCIS O. DRAKE, M. D., 1002 Olive st., St. Louis.

YOUR advertisement in the Sunday Post-Dispatch will be read by everybody.

PERSONALS.

Advertisements under the head of "Personal" are received subject to revision or rejection entirely. The money paid for rejected advertisements will be refunded when address is given, or by calling at this office with ticket. Advertisements of two lines and over in this column FIFTEEN cents per line.

PERSONAL—Dermassole Face Powder takes the lead; sold everywhere, 25c; warranted; no poison.

PERSONAL—A stranger in city and of leisure would like to form the acquaintance of some handsome young lady; object, social amusements. Address L 57, this office. 1

PERSONAL—Lucy and Jennie, L 53; Years of 6th not delivered through mistake; write same address; takes appointment for Friday evening. Will sit W. Address B 57, this office. 1

PERSONAL—A gentleman 35 years of age, with $20,000 would like to form the acquaintance of a lady about the same age with like amounts; object, matrimony. Address F 57, this office. 1

PERSONAL—Rebecca L. Ady, M. D., 1422 Olive st., ladies of all kinds a lady; patrons can have choice of male or female assistants at gymnastic parlors.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

UNFORTUNATES look in the Sunday Post-Dispatch for those who can relieve them. 74

ALL good housekeepers save their carpets cleaned at the Star Carpet Cleaning Co., 1623 Pine st. 74

CREVE COEUR LAKE—Missouri Pacific trains, and handling no freight cars, leave Union Depot at 6 and 9:57 a. m., 12:30 and 4:45 p. m. Thursdays and Saturdays at extra train leaves the lake at 9 p. m. String Band and Jubilee Singers daily. 74

PARTIES desiring housekeeping can realize the highest cash prices for their surplus furniture and effects, in large or small quantities, at No. 11 LEONORI, JR., & CO., AUCT'S, 1505 Olive st.

1,000 BUSINESS CARDS for $1. H. B. Crole & Co., printers, 813 Locust st. 74

DR. D. L. JOCELYN of Colton Dental Association, who introduced the use of gas in St. Louis for the painless extraction of teeth, gives it his personal attention. Gas always pure; operations safe and sure. All branches of dentistry practiced at lowest prices. Office, 517 Olive st. 74

BLIND Fortune Teller, 1513 Morgan (ladies 25c; gentlemen $1); also magnetic treatment for nervous diseases. 74

MRS. LANKTON, Indian fortune-teller, 103 N. 13th st., between Chestnut and Pine sts. 74

MME. ANNA, the Fortune-teller of the West, 328 Market st., near 4th. Established in 1861. 74

MRS. ACKERLY, spiritual trance and test medium, 14 Center st., 2d floor; sittings daily; don't fail to see her. 74

MRS. LYONS' INSTITUTE, 3105 Chestnut st., scientific massage, magnetic and medicated baths; new apartments, male or female. 74

MRS. L. MASSOCK, ladies' physician, and Mrs. G. M. Bangert, midwife, established thirteen years; ladies boarded during confinement; ladies in trouble, call 1204 B. Lucas av. 74

MME. RIEGER, ladies' physician and midwife, a regular graduate of two colleges, receives ladies at the house during confinement; business confidential; charges reasonable. 501 Rutger st.

MRS. DOSSIER—Perfumed and competent midwife and lady physician; business strictly confidential; receives ladies during confinement; best place in West for good care and home comfort; charges reasonable. Call at 1833 Chouteau av. 74

MRS. DR. SILVA,

Electro magnetic baths, with massage treatment; a luxury for the well and necessity for the sick. Mrs. Dr. Silva's golden baths have no equal in the world. 1319 Pine st. 74

MRS. C. LUBY,

The great fortune-teller, business adviser and spiritual healer; tells name and age of callers and future husband; sells New Orleans charms and mesmeric baths which will give good luck in your business, breaks evil influences and those who forsake you to return. 209 N. 14th st., between Olive and Pine. 74

MRS. DR. EDDY,

The world-renowned Trance Clairvoyant, the seventh daughter, born with a caul over her face; has the power of any two clairvoyants you ever met; tells your entire life, past, present and future, in a dead trance; every bidden mystery revealed; tells full names of her callers and full name of future husband or wife, with age and date of marriage; tells all business affairs with utmost truth; unites the separated and causes speedy and happy marriages with the one you love; removes evil influences; gives good luck; business, love and marriage a specialty; reveals everything; no imposition; $5,000 challenge to any medium who can excel her. Hrs., 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Sundays, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. 1417 Pine st. Letters with stamps answered. Always at home. 74

MRS. DR. EDDY stands as high above the common St. fortune-tellers as the President of the U. S. stands above a rag-picker, while her charges for the truth are the same as what the other fortune-tellers charge for false stories.

A proof that Mrs. Dr. Eddy is the best medium that this city overcame, is the fact that, while other mediums look around the house, watching for callers, Mrs. Dr. Eddy is never idle, always having more than she can attend to, and is even compelled to send some away. Remember that Mrs. Eddy is not one of the flyaway sort, here to-day and there to-morrow, but has permanently located here, and has made this city her future home.

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FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

2204 WALNUT ST.—Seven rooms; $22.50 per month; water license paid. Apply at 1st S. 22d st. 14

3657 BELLE AV.—First house west of Grand, 5 rooms, brick house, with nice lawn and shade trees; the owner will board with renter if agreeable.

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HORSES AND VEHICLES.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—Top buggies, park, grocery, baker, butcher and dry goods wagons. 1604 N. Broadway.

FOR SALE—The smallest, best and prettiest pony in St. Louis at Brockman's livery stable, 310 Walnut st. 12

FOR SALE—Cheap—The best barouche horse in the city; gentle as a lamb; with buggy and harness, F. W. Hassett, 921 Chestnut st. 12

Harness, Fly-Nets
And SUMMER HORSE CLOTHING.
J. B. SICKLES SADDLERY CO.,
Washington Av. & 11th St.

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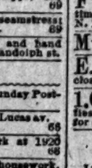

HORSE AND STABLE GOODS.

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—In answering advertisements under this head mention the Post-Dispatch.

FOR SALE—Saloon. 1714 Market st. 4

FOR SALE—Dressmaking; cheap; small stock and fixtures; good trade; cheap rent. Call at 3129 S. 7th st. 4

FOR SALE—Restaurant and store, near Union Depot; good business; account of leaving city, 1215 Poplar st. 4

FOR SALE—A first-class grocery, saloon and club-room in central part of the city; good reasons for selling; call for 3 days. Ad. P. 55, this office. 4

MUSICAL.

WANTED—A young lady desires lessons in French and on the guitar from capable teachers. Address, with terms, F 57, this office.

REMOVAL—P. C. Aston, first-class pianos. 1110 Olive st.; old pianos taken in exchange. 27

FARMS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—In answering advertisements under this head mention the Post-Dispatch.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE CHEAP—An equity in one of the best farms in Christian County. Inquire, or will exchange for dry goods stock. Dr. Jos. H. Ballard, Omaha, Neb.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

206 S. 19TH ST.—Front rooms, furnished, part furnished or unfurnished, for small family. 13

314 CHESTNUT ST.—Two rooms, third floor; $6.50. Kesley & Co., 703 Pine st.

316 ARGYLE AV.—Furnished room. 13

318 N. 11TH ST.—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen. 13

402 LAMI ST.—2 rooms. Inquire of Geo. W. Teasdy, 506 Olive st., room 26. 14

519 FRANKLIN AV.—Two neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; in good order. 13

711 N. 18TH ST.—Furnished rooms, with bath; private family. 13

817 N. 7TH ST.—Large rooms; $8; suitable for living rooms or working tailor's work-room.

822 HICKORY ST.—One furnished front room for gentlemen in private family. 12

822 FINN ST.—Cool, elegantly furnished rooms, different prices; new corner building, near fine restaurant; permanent and transient; southeast corner 9th and Pine. 13

1001 S. 15TH ST.—Nicely furnished rooms, $12 and $9; also hall room, $5, with bath.

1023 N. 8TH ST.—Nicely furnished front room; private family.

1121 PINE ST.—Large, well-furnished front room; also rooms for light housekeeping 13

1125 PINE ST.—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; single room for gentleman, $1 week.

1213 HICKORY ST.—Two rooms completely furnished for light housekeeping; ref. or $.

1222 OLIVE ST.—Second-story hall-room, nicely furnished. 13

1313 DOLMAN ST.—A large, cool, clean, nicely furnished front room, with gas, hot and cold bath; convenient to several lines of cars; to one or two gentlemen with best reference. 13

1414 OLIVE ST.—Nice newly furnished rooms at reasonable prices. 13

1418 WASHINGTON AV.—Handsomely furnished rooms, front and back; light and airy.

1504 PINE ST.—Two good-sized rooms on second floor; terms reasonable.

1515 CHESTNUT ST.—Newly furnished rooms, with all conveniences; also two large unfurnished rooms; will rent to respectable parties. 13

1604 OLIVE ST.—Neatly furnished front room; also hall room, at reasonable terms.

1630 CLARA AV.—Two elegant rooms and basement and garret; take Franklin av. cars to the place. 13

1800 DOLMAN ST.—Two or three very desirable rooms in second floor; rent low.

1804 MORGAN ST.—Nicely furnished rooms, with use of bath. 13

2022 RUTGER ST., near Lafayette Park—Three elegant large sun rooms, with bath and laundry; rent low to small family. 19

2203 WASH ST.—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished; suited for light housekeeping.

2849 MARKET ST.—Two pleasant and nicely furnished rooms, en suite or single; nice home for good parties. 74

2623 PINE ST.—4 rooms, first or second floor; reference required; rent, $20.

3117 THOMAS ST.—One 2d-story unfurnished front room. 13

FOR RENT—Two newly furnished rooms at s. w. cor. Ninth and Hickory sts. 13

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished parlor to quiet lady. Address N 57, this office.

FOR RENT—Widow has handsomely furnished second-story front room to quiet couple; very reasonable. Address B 56, this office. 13

FOR RENT—S. w. corner North Market and Hogan st.; $7; 2 rooms in fine order, large yard, shade trees, coal shed. See Mrs. Waldron. 13

WANTED—A man and wife without children can have an unfurnished room in consideration of the woman assisting around the house. Apply at 4317 Lee av. 13

ROOMS are quickly rented by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 13

FOR RENT—FLATS.

WANTED—In answering advertisements in this column mention the Post-Dispatch.

FLATS—Morgan and Cabanne—5 rooms, bath, closet, yard and separate entrance.
JAMES M. CARPENTER & CO., 206 N. 8th st.

BOARDING.

14 N. 3D ST.—Cool rooms; first-class board; $3.75 per week; day board, $3; six meals, $1.

317 S. 18TH ST.—Pleasant rooms and board; convenient to street cars and two blocks from 18th st. bridge.

1118 PINE ST.—Front rooms with board; terms reasonable; transient and table boarders accommodated. 18

1224 WASHINGTON AV.—Handsome furnished front and several other rooms, with best of meals served. Lady occupying handsome furnished front room wishes lady room-mate. 18

1318 CHOUTEAU AV.—Elegantly furnished front and back parlors, second and south exposure; gas, bath and all home comforts; best table board for gents or couple. 18

1603 WASHINGTON AV.—Furnished room with board. 18

2015 CHESTNUT ST.—Nicely furnished front room; board if desired. 18

2309 OLIVE ST.—Select rooms with board for gentlemen; table board supplied. 18

2821 MORGAN ST.—A choice of two rooms, neatly furnished, with board. 18

2923 CHESTNUT ST.—Handsomely furnished second-story front and other rooms with board.

3137 CHESTNUT ST.—Nicely furnished rooms; good table board; reference exchanged. 18

3404 FRANKLIN AV.—Pleasant rooms; newly painted; rm. en suite or single; good board.

WANTED—Working woman's child to board. 1231 N. 12th st. 18

BOARDERS are secured by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 18

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES

708 PINE ST.—Second floor, for many years occupied by Dr. A. Flickinger, dentist. 17

1112 PINE ST.—In Dr. A. Flickinger's elegant dental office building, 2 rooms 3d floor. 17

2310 N. BROADWAY—$10; small store; 2 living rooms; good business place. See Mrs. Green.

2316 N. BROADWAY—$12; Store; 2 stories; 4 living rooms; good place for any business.

FOR RENT—Saloon and fixtures on 6th near Franklin av. Apply 519 Franklin av. 17

FOR RENT—At 817 N. 7th st.; brick stable, 6 stalls, a loft and one small stable 17

FOR RENT—Stores, 1216 and 1118 Cass av.; three and five rooms, Cass av. Apply 1383 N. Broadway.

FOR RENT—Nice store on the southwest corner of Broadway and Mound st.; No. 1 stand for a cigar store. Apply to F. Handley, 706 Mound st. 17

IMP'D CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—In answering advertisements under this head mention the Post-Dispatch.

FOR SALE—1006 Chestnut st., fine, large 3-story brick house, 13 rooms, hall, gas and bath, lot 21½x109 feet; could be altered for a store or office on first floor.
KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

FOR SALE—2931 Lucas av., near Garrison, nice 2-story, detached, stone-front house of 9 rooms, with hall, gas, bath, and stable in rear; lot 25x138 feet. Call and get keys at KEELEY & CO'S, 703 Pine st. 7

FOR SALE—$2,500; small cash payment, balance monthly; new, 5 rooms, hall, closets; lot 30x180; No. 1207 Bayard av. Apply 3026 Fairfax av. or at C. C. Nichols, 713 Chestnut st. 7

FOR SALE—2441 N. Garrison av., 1 block from N. North Market st.; nice 1-story brick cottage of 6 rooms; lot 25x125 feet; price, $1,600; terms, $400 cash, balance $15 per month.
7 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

FOR SALE—Monthly payments—4046 Morgan st., 1 block from Delmar av., and 1 block west of Vandeventer av., brand new two-story brick-front house of 7 rooms, hall, gas, bath, hot-water pipes and boiler; lot 25x155 feet; terms, $800 cash; balance $35 per month. Get keys at
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WANT advertisements in the Sunday Post-Dispatch will reach every reader.

MONEY TO LOAN ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

ADVERTISE your wants in "Sunday Morning Post-Dispatch."

A GENTLEMAN wishing to invest some surplus funds will loan $25 and upwards on household furniture and other personal property; pianos and horses will be treated fairly and can secure loans on satisfactory terms. Call or address 1017 Morgan st. 51

MONEY loaned on clothing, diamonds, watches, jewelry, guns, pistols, musical instruments, etc., at Dunn's Loan Office, 912 Franklin av. 51

MONEY loaned on furniture without removal; any amount; lowest rate. John G. King, 618 Morgan.

LOANS on furniture in residence, city real estate and all good securities; quick and reasonable terms. Porter & Williams, room 2, 806 Olive st. 51

MONEY LOANED—$5 and upwards on furniture without removal; also on any good personal securities. My terms are the best in the city. M. E. Duggan, 809 Pine st., up-stairs. 51

MONEY loaned on furniture without removal, in any amounts to suit; business confidential; no commission charged. O. C. Volker, 716 Pine st., room 15.

$25 TO $500 loaned on furniture, pianos, without removal; also on horses and wagons; weekly payments; cheap and interest reduced in proportion; no commission. F. W. Peters & Co., 813 Chestnut st.

FURNITURE LOANS.

$25 and upwards to loan on furniture at residence of parties. C. C. Williams, 1009 Olive st.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

WANTED—In answering advertisements in this column mention the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

BIG Investment Bargain.

Central Real Estate.

We are instructed to offer that high, central, level, solid lot of ground, 61.4x155 feet, on the south side of Lucas Place, just east of Seventeenth street, at the low price of $150 per front foot.

As there are now no business or building restrictions on Lucas Place, property on this wide focal thoroughfare will increase rapidly in value.

Wm. C. Wilson & Co.
Real Estate Agents,
619 Chestnut st.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE.

BORROWERS are found by advertising in the Sunday Post-Dispatch. 31

TO LOAN—$10,000, $8,000, $5,000, $3,000, $2,500, $2,000, $1,500, $1,000 and $500 at 6 per cent on St. Louis City and County real estate.
31 KEELEY & CO., 703 Pine st.

MONEY. MONEY. MONEY. HALF A MILLION, Eastern Funds, To Loan

In sums to suit, on City Real Estate. Certified checks ready as soon as papers are made out.
FRANK OREAR, Real Estate Broker,
31 Room 45, Turner Building, 304 N. 8th st.

TIME TABLE

Of Trains Running into the

Union Depot.

ST. LOUIS TIME.

"Except Sunday; †Daily; ‡Except Saturday; §Except Monday; ¶Monday.

	Depart.	Arrive.
CHICAGO, ALTON & ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.		
Chicago Express Mail	* 8:20 am	* 7:35 pm
Kansas City Mail	* 8:45 am	† 6:50 pm
Through Chicago Express	* 4:30 pm	* 10:40 am
Jacksonville Accommodation	* 6:00 pm	* 2:00 pm
Chicago Lightning Express	* 7:55 pm	† 7:35 am
Kansas City Night Express	* 8:30 pm	† 7:00 am
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD (Chicago Line).		
Day Express	* 7:25 am	† 7:50 pm
Chicago Express	* 8:00 pm	† 7:00 am
OHIO & MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY. 10 hours to Cin. & Lou. 4 Solid trains. Sleepers to Cin., Lou., Wash., Balt., Phil. and New York.		
Cincinnati & Louisville Accom.	6:25 am	† 7:22 pm
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phil. and New York	* 8:00 am	† 8:40 pm
Cincinnati Express	* 7:00 pm	† 7:50 am
Cin'ti, Louisville, Wash., Balt., Phil. and New York	* 8:00 pm	† 7:45 am
Salem Accommodation	‡ 11:5 pm	8:45 am
CAIRO SHORT LINE RAILROAD.		
New Orleans Fast Line	* 7:40 pm	† 8:00 pm
Memphis, Arkansas & Texas Ex.	* 7:40 pm	† 8:00 pm
Cairo, Ky. & Tenn. Ex. daily	* 7:40 am	† 7:55 am
Ill. & Parker City Ex., ex. Sund	* 4:20 pm	‡ 11:50 am
CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY RAILROAD.		
St. Paul, Dubuque, Omaha and Denver Express	* 9:30 am	† 5:30 pm
La Crosse, Omaha, Lincoln and Denver Express	8:30 pm	† 6:50 am
INDIANAPOLIS & T. LOUIS (BEE LINE). Only line landing passengers in Grand Central Depot, New York. No change of cars.		
Day Express	* 7:35 am	† 6:00 pm
New York and Cincinnati Limited Express	* 8:05 am	† 7:40 pm
Mail and Express	* 4:25 pm	† 10:55 am
New York, Boston & Cincinnati Express	* 7:05 pm	† 7:30 am
Double daily parlor and sleeping-car service to Cincinnati.		
VANDALIA LINE.		
Day Express, daily	7:25 am	5:00 pm
Pennsylvania Special, daily	8:10 am	7:30 pm
Chicago Express, exc. Sunday	7:25 am	7:00 pm
N. Y. and Boston Ex. Sup., daily	3:00 pm	3:05 am
Chicago Night Express, daily	8:00 pm	7:00 am
Effingham Accom., daily	5:00 pm	7:55 am
Toledo Day Express	8:10 am	6:20 pm
Cincin. Night Express, daily	7:30 pm	7:00 am
WABASH RAILWAY.		
Chicago Local Mail	* 7:05 am	7:25 pm
Chicago Fast Express	* 7:55 am	6:15 pm
New York Fast Express	* 7:55 am	6:15 pm
Decatur & Jacksonville Accommodation	4:45 pm	* 10:35 am
Chicago, Peoria & Keokuk Fast Exp.	7:10 pm	* 7:45 am
Chicago Night Express	8:10 pm	7:15 am
Peoria Night Express	8:10 pm	7:35 am
WABASH WESTERN RAILWAY.		
Through Mail and Express	8:25 am	*6:15 pm
Kansas City, St. Joe & St. Paul Fast Line	9:00 am	7:10 pm
Montgomery Accommodation	5:00 pm	*11:35 am
Omaha, Des Moines & St. Paul Express	8:25 pm	6:50 am
Kansas City & St. Joseph Express	8:25 pm	6:40 am
LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE & ST. LOUIS R. R. (The Air Line.)		
Louisville and Washington City Day Express	* 7:20 am	* 7:45 pm
Louisville Night Express, fast line	7:20 pm	7:25 am
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE RAILROAD.		
Mt. Vernon Accommodation		9:00 am
Southern Fast Mail	7:20 am	7:45 pm
Mt. Vernon Accommodation	5:00 pm	
Belleville Accommodation	11:20 am	1:45 pm
Southern Fast Line	7:20 pm	7:25 am
ST. LOUIS & SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY.		
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 7:05 am	* 6:50 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 9:05 am	* 8:45 pm
Through Mail	* 8:20 am	6:00 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	12:30 pm	10:45 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 4:00 pm	* 3:10 pm
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	4:00 pm	3:18 pm
Pacific Accommodation	5:20 pm	7:35 am
Windsor Spring Accommodat'n	* 6:30 pm	* 6:15 pm
Through Express	9:15 pm	6:30 am
ST. LOUIS, KEOKUK & NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY.		
St. Paul, Omaha, Denver and Lincoln Express	* 9:20 am	* 6:00 pm
Spirit Lake, Omaha, Cedar Rapids and Denver Express	† 8:15 pm	† 6:30 am
MOBILE & OHIO RAILROAD.		
New Orleans and Florida Express	* 9:00 pm	* 7:25 am
Cairo, Chester and Jackson Ex.	* 7:40 am	* 7:00 pm
ST. LOUIS & HANNIBAL.		
Bowling Green and Hannibal Mail and Express	* 5:00 pm	*11:55 am
Through Express	† 9:00 am	6:40 pm
ILLINOIS & ST. LOUIS R. R.	A. M.	A. M. P. M. P. M.
Leave Union Depot	6:30	11:00 2:00 5:30
Arrive at Belleville	9:15	11:55 3:45 6:25
Leave Belleville	7:00	9:45 1:10 4:20
Arr. Union Depot	8:00	10:45 2:05 6:15

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BLOOD & SKIN Diseases, all forms, affecting the Head, Nose, Throat Rash and Pimples, Blotches, Eruptions, Loss of Hair, Eyebrows, Eczema, Old Sores, Ulcers, Painful Swellings, from whatever c

LEGAL NOTICES.

FOR SALE—Whereas J. Shep. Cabanne and Julia C. Cabanne, by their certain deed of trust, bearing date the fourteenth day of March, 1887, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, in book 622, page 54, conveyed to the undersigned the following described property situated in the city of St. Louis, Mo., to-wit:

Lot six (6), seven (7) and eight (8) in block four (4) of Cabanne's subdivision and in block one (1) of the city of St. Louis, said lots being bounded and described as follows: A front of one hundred and fifty feet on the south line of Cabanne avenue by a depth uniformly of two hundred and fifteen feet to the south line of said block and subdivision, and fronting each one hundred feet on the east line of said lot 8 and north by Cabanne avenue.

Also lot one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4) in block eight (8) of Cabanne's subdivision and in block one (1) of the city of St. Louis, said lots containing a front of two hundred and ten feet more or less by a depth of one hundred and fifty feet (210 feet 150), inches) on the south line of Cabanne avenue by a depth uniformly of two hundred and fifteen (215) feet on the west line of said block and subdivision, fronting each one hundred and seventeen feet six inches (117 feet 6 inches) on the north line of said lot 9 and north by Cabanne avenue.

Also lot one (1), two (2), three (3) and four (4) in block eight (8) of Cabanne's subdivision and in block one (1) of the city of St. Louis, said lots containing a front of two hundred and ten feet more or less by a depth uniformly of two hundred and fifteen (215) feet six inches (215 feet 6 inches) on the west line of said block and subdivision, fronting each one hundred and seventeen feet six inches (117 feet 6 inches) on the south line of said lot 9 and by lot 5 of said block and subdivision, and fronting each one (1) foot on the north line of said lot 5 of said block and subdivision.

Whereas Louis Cable & Western Railroad Company, a corporation avenue and west by the west line of said Cabanne subdivision, which said conveyance to the said Julia C. Cabanne was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described, and whereas default has been made in the payment of the second interest note, amounting to the sum of satisfying said notes and its costs of executing this trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, AUGUST GEHNER, Trustee, will, on

MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 1888,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the east front door of the Court House in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purposes of satisfying said notes and costs of executing this trust.

AUGUST GEHNER, Trustee.

FOR SALE—Whereas, Alfred Wm. Randall and his wife, by their certain deed of trust, bearing date the seventh day of January, 1887, and recorded in the Recorder's office of the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, in book 805, page 540, conveyed to the undersigned the following described property situated in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, to-wit:

Lot two (2) in block number four (4) of Lucas' addition to the city of St. Louis, as the same is of record in the Recorder's Office of the city of St. Louis, being in block No. 2168 of the city maps, having a front of forty feet on Olive street by a depth of one hundred and fifteen feet, the same lot acquired of John H. Yantis by deed dated 8th January, 1876, recorded in book 722, page 173, of the St. Louis City Records, reference to the undersigned was made for the purpose of securing the payment of certain notes in said deed of trust described; and, whereas, default has been made in the payment of the second and third notes; now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes and in pursuance of the power in said deed of trust, the undersigned will

MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 1888,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., at the east front door of the Court House in the city of St. Louis, Mo., sell the above described real estate at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, for the purposes of satisfying said notes and costs of executing this trust.

AUGUST GEHNER, Trustee.

RAILROAD NEWS.

Railway Lease—Withdrawing of Limited Express Trains.

NEW YORK, August 9.—The *Tribune* says: A lease between Charles Francis Adams, Jr., and Frederick L. Ames, on the part of the Pacific Railway Co., and Robert Lincoln, President, and Henry Villard, on the part of the Northern Pacific Railway Co., was signed in this city yesterday. While the results will be known in detail, and the personnel of the meeting were not willing to discuss it, there is good authority for the statement that the disputes over the terms of the lease of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co.'s property will be settled in a short time. The only real obstacle to put the division of territory, and the settlement of the subject yesterday proved that this could be easily adjusted. A conference will be held after subordinate officers have arranged the details of a new lease. The legislative injunction to prevent the lease and the recent decision rendered by a New York State Court in the case of Vice-President Ives of the New York & Canada Railroad Company, which was instituted to restrain the Vice-President from voting in favor of the consolidation of the Canada Southern with the New York Central, will be sufficient

OUR SUMMER SPECIALTIES
HOT CORN ALL DAY,
Watermelon, Cantaloupe.
DELICATESSEN!

CITY NEWS.

PRICES gone to smash at Crawford's this week! Dry goods sold for a song! This great Clearance Sale gets away with the weather and everything else.

Dr. E. C. Chase,
Corner of 9th and Olive streets. Set of teeth, $8.

PRIVATE matters skillfully treated and medicines furnished. Dr. Dinsbeer, 814 Pine street.

Dr. WHITTIER, 817 St. Charles, cures diseases of indiscretion, indulgences. Call or write.

IT WAS NOT HERS.

The Baby Palmed Off on Sergt. Grossman by His Wife.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—When Otto Grossman, Sergeant of Battery I, United States Artillery, stationed at Fort Hamilton, left his home in January, 1887, to attend to a detail on which he was ordered, he left his wife behind him at the fort. They had no children, nor did Grossman expect any when he left. When he returned at the end of two weeks he was astonished to see a chubby-faced boy reposing in his wife's arms. Explanations followed and he accepted his wife's statement that the boy was hers. Nevertheless he had serious misgivings. Soon afterward the true facts came out. While the Sergeant was away Mrs. Grossman read in an advertisement in a New York paper to the effect that a newly born male child was offered for adoption. Mrs. Grossman wanted just such an increase in her family, so she took the baby. The mother was Annie Savage of No. 426 East Ninth street, this city. Mrs. Grossman told her that her name was Mrs. Hart. James E. Savage, father of the child, appeared before Judge Church of Fort Hamilton soon after and said that he was looking for his child. Without his knowledge, and during his absence, his wife had given it to a woman who claimed to be Mrs. Hart of Fort Hamilton. Investigation at the post-office proved that Mrs. Grossman was receiving mail addressed to Mrs. Hart. The Justice summoned Mrs. Grossman before him. She brought the child with her. Savage and his wife were both in court and identified it by birth-marks.

Mrs. Grossman denied their stories and asserted that the child was hers. Finally she broke down and confessed everything. She said that she had no child and wanted one. Justice Church compelled her to restore the child to its parents. The affair caused much gossip at the time, but was finally forgotten. It was revived yesterday, however, when it became known in Fort Hamilton that Mrs. Grossman had another baby. And there are people, too, cruel enough to say that this baby is not Mrs. Grossman's. Some little time ago Mrs. Grossman whispered into the jolly Sergeant's ear. He started, smiled and said: "Is it really so, this time?" She blushed, smiled, and nodded emphatically. Then Sergt. Grossman's troops noticed that he had grown pensive and often murmured something that sounded like "Cutchy, cutchy, cuch," while his arms tossed an imaginary bundle in the air. But the Sergeant was ordered to the encampment at Fisher's Island and left Fort Hamilton with troubled face, but great hopes. He had not been gone long when one night his wife sent for Mrs. Crops, a midwife. Mrs. Crops says she reached the bedside at half past 8 o'clock on the morning of July 22. Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Grossman's mother, held a boy baby in her arms and Mrs. Grossman was in bed. Mrs. McKay said the baby had been born twenty minutes before, but Mrs. Crops says she is sure it was four days old. Mrs. Grossman, too, was very lively for the mother of a twenty minutes old infant. The two women wanted Mrs. Crops to sign a birth certificate, but she refused and went to Justice Church and told him all about it. When the Sergeant returned from Fisher's Island last Saturday he was presented with the child. He hugged his wife and then the infant, and then went out to tell the boys and receive their congratulations. The Sergeant's joy was changed to gloom when he noticed the cynical smiles on the faces of the boys, and his gloom was turned into wrath when a friend poked him in the ribs and said: "Don't you suspect anything?"

But the Sergeant's wrath could not stop the gossip, and though he stoutly maintained the truth of his wife's statement that the child is hers, it still agitates the people of Fort Hamilton.

The Globe Beats Them All.

To make room for fall stock, clothing is going for about half its original value. Come at once or you will be left.

Men's blue and white striped seersucker coats and vests, worth $1.50, at 75c.

Boys' flannel coats and vests, worth $1.50, at 69c.

Men's flannel coats and vests, worth $2, at $1.

Genuine Pongee silk coats and vests, marked down from $8.50 to $5.

Men's strictly all-wool cheviot suits, worth $12.50, at $7.45.

Men's cassimere suits, worth $7.50, at $3.90.

Boys' plaited corkscrew suits, worth $4, at $2.50. Children's full suit, worth $1.50, at 75c.

Men's and boys' summer coats at 10c. Boys' knee pants at 14c, 25c, 35c and 50c. Men's and boys' union cassimere pants at 50c. Men's all-wool Scotch cheviot pants, worth $3, at $1.50. Men's and boys' French flannel shirts from 50c up. Men's light-colored stiff hats, 75c; 1,000 dozen four-ply linen collars, 5c; cuffs, 10c. Ladies' and gents' shoes cut to beat all competition.

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AN HONORABLE FAILURE.

Ex-Senator Taylor Strips Himself of Every Dollar to Protect His Creditors.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

TRENTON, N. J., August 9.—The firm of John Taylor & Co., the leading pork packer in New Jersey, suspended business yesterday. Disastrous speculations on the New York and Chicago Produce Exchanges precipitated the failure. The liabilities amount to $280,000, and the firm estimate their assets at $350,000. The principal creditors are the Bank of Trenton, $50,000; Maj. Frank A. McGowan of Trenton, $48,000; Ferdinand Roebling, $9,000; Thomas B. Taylor, $21,000; Wm. H. Skrim, $6,000; Vancamp & Worthington, $10,000 and ex-Congressman John Hart Brewer, $5,000. The banks are fully secured, as are also Mayor McGowan and other leading creditors. Ex-State Senator John Taylor, the head of the firm, has stripped himself of every dollar to protect the creditors. Thomas B. Taylor, his brother, has received the deed of his beautiful State street residence, and Mr. Roebling the Taylor Opera-house stock shares for the sum due him. The only heavy loser will be Mr. Taylor himself. His friends, however, have rallied around him and the creditors who meet to-day will probably arrange matters so that he may continue business.

Mr. Taylor has been prominent politically and socially, as well as in trade, and his failure has produced a profound sensation. He has held several important offices beside that of State Senator, and has once or twice declined the nomination for Governor. The Taylor Opera-house, of which he is the principal owner, is named after him and he is President of the new Interstate Fair Association. He is also heavily interested in the Union Pottery Co., which may not be affected by the failure.

"I began business without a dollar many years ago," said Mr. Taylor last night, "and I am willing to begin again at the bottom of the ladder."

He is very popular here and his successful future is wished for and predicted.

Trunks, Trunks, Trunks.

The entire stock of trunks, bags, satchels, pocket-books, dog collars and traveling goods of every description which were in the retail store of F. C. Murphy are now at his Trunk Emporium, Third and St. Charles streets, and will be sold out at much less than cost for the next thirty days.

THE FEATHERWEIGHTS.

WEIR, "THE SPIDER," AND FRANK MURPHY TRY TO ARRANGE A MATCH.

What "The Spider" Is Willing to Do and What Murphy Wants—Tommy Warren Wins a Fight—Kilrain Will Meet Sullivan—Crooked Work on the Chicago Race-Track—Sporting Matters—Base Ball News.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

BOSTON, Mass., August 9.—Ike Weir, the Belfast Spider, says that he was not responsible for that match with Frank White, made in New York on Monday night.

"That was Murtie Dowing's work," said he, "and I did not know anything about it. I will fight him, though, if I cannot get a match with Murphy. He is the man I am after. Ed McAvery of the Miller House has gone to New York to post $100 to bind a match for me with any man of my class in the world. He is going to find out who holds the championship belt, and then I will challenge him first. McAvery and

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are backing me now, and it looks as though I should be able to get on a fight with some one, I mean business this time, and if my money ain't covered, I'll claim the belt and the championship. But I want a fight more than anything else. There will be no excuse for Murphy if he is really anxious to meet me. He talks about waiting three months. Humph! He might just as well make it three years. I am ready to fight him next week if he could get in condition. I don't weigh more than 119 pounds, and a few days would fix me all right. He has been using his mouth too much lately and I'll either make him fight or shut up, and there won't be any of this brother act about it either."

"But Murphy insists on London prize-ring rules. You would not dare tackle him under those rules?" suggested the reporter.

"Wouldn't I, though," exclaimed the wiry spider. "I'd fight him any way. But it is just like this: Sullivan and Kilrain went over to England to fight, and they fought under the London prize-ring rules. Murphy has come over here and has got to fight under American rules. There is too much risk fighting London rules in this country."

MURPHY'S CHALLENGE.

Murphy's challenge to the "Spider" as printed in the Boston *Herald* reads as follows: "While in training for my match with Jack Havlin 'The Spider' professed a desire to meet me in a ring encounter for $2,000 a side, and signed an agreement to that effect in your office, and consenting to meet several days later for the signing of articles and posting a substantial sum of money for forfeit. In company with my backers we were on hand ready to deposit money, but 'The Spider,' upon some trivial excuse, asked for another chance to sign the agreement. Articles according to his liking were lodged by my backer at the *Herald* office, but 'The Spider' failed to display an inclination to consent to a fight. I was more or less harassed by him at a time when I should have had a free and easy mind. He now renews his series of attacks and pretends to be in search of a fight. I wish to state that I am in the same mood, and beg to place before him and the public the following proposition: I will fight Ike Weir, 'the Spider,' with skin gloves to a finish in a 24-foot ring under the new rules of the London prize ring, ten weeks from date, within a thin five hundred miles of Providence, for $1,000 or $2,000 a side, each man to be restricted to 118 pounds' weight in costume ten hours before entering ring, or at that weight stripped on entering the ring, only eight or ten men a side to be privileged to attend the match; the gentlemen who officiated as referee and stakeholder respectively in my late battle to do similar duty in the coming fight; the stakeholder to select the battle-ground and conduct the privileged parties there. I will be at the *Herald* office next Saturday at 3 o'clock p. m., prepared to post my name to articles. My idea in naming a day of meeting so far off is for the purpose of settling in the meantime, if possible, my undecided battle with Havlin.

"FRANK MURPHY."

Tommy Warren Won.

WEST SUPERIOR, Wis., August 9.—The fight between Tommy Warren and Billy Maloney last night for $200 a side resulted in the knocking out of Maloney in the third round. Both men seemed in fine condition at the start, but Maloney became somewhat winded after a few clinches with Warren and was floored twice by side blows. He, however, got in a few heavy upper cuts on Warren during the round. The second round was nearly a repetition of the first. At the beginning of the third round it was evident to all that Maloney had met a complete defeat, but notwithstanding his weakened condition, he stood game for forty-five seconds. He was finally led on the floor by a succession of right and left-handers and failed to rise in time. He was badly bruised about the face. With the exception of a few abrasions on the forehead, Warren was unhurt.

Sullivan's Backers.

BOSTON, August 9.—For the past ten days John L. Sullivan has been boarding at Nantasket Beach where he will spend the remainder of the summer vacation. John is keeping quiet and has begun light training. He takes a brisk walk of twelve miles every day, after which he is rubbed down. A salt water bath follows. This is his daily routine at present. He now weighs 230 pounds, but will work superfluous flesh off gradually. He will give an exhibition here on August 18. He was asked to-day:

"Is there any truth in the statement that Ed Stokes of New York is to back you for $10,000 against Mitchell or Kilrain?"

"This much I will say," said he, "I can get backing in New York for as much money as they want, and you can state that I will fight Kilrain and Mitchell, one after the other, four weeks only to elapse between the battles, for $10,000 a side each. As soon as they arrive I shall be after them and I will follow them up. My backers are New York parties, who do not care to be known at this time, but I have all the backing needed."

Kilrain Will Fight.

Richard K. Fox, Kilrain's backer, sends out the following:

NANTUCKET, R. I., August 6, 1888.—John L. Sullivan announces that he is ready to arrange a match with Jake Kilrain, champion of the world, for from $5,000 to $10,000 a side and the championship. He claims that Ed. S. Stokes of the Hoffman House, New York, will back him against either Kilrain or Mitchell for $10,000 to $25,000 a side. Kilrain will arrive in New York August 25 on the Cunard steamer Etruria.

On the arrival of the champion he will not hesitate to arrange a match with Sullivan, providing the latter has posted a forfeit of $1,000 with the *Clipper*, and issues a bona fide challenge to fight for the above amount of stakes, the *Police Gazette* diamond belt and the championship of the world. Kilrain's backer will not be frightened by Sullivan proposing to fight for large stakes, and when it comes down to genuine match-making Kilrain will hold a straight flush, consisting of the diamond belt, the championship, etc.

Wants to Wrestle.

Mr. James Cronin called at the office of the POST-DISPATCH this morning and deposited $25 as a forfeit to bind a wrestling match with the winner of the match between Greek George and Burke this evening. Mr. Cronin represents a wrestler whom he wishes to remain unknown for the present. He proposes to match the unknown against the winner, be he Greek George or Burke, best two in three, Græco Roman and catch-as-catch-can style. The match to be wrestled within two weeks. If the winner of the match desires to do business with the unknown he should call at the POST-DISPATCH office where Mr. Cronin will meet him.

The Browns Beaten.

The Browns were beaten yesterday by the Athletics at Philadelphia. The batteries were Hudson and Boyle and Seward and Robinson. St. Louis scored 3 runs, 5 hits and 6 errors and the Athletics 9 runs, 13 hits and 5 errors. Outhbert was the umpire.

Other Ball Games Abroad.

In the Association: At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 9; Louisville, 1. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 17; Kansas City, 0. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 6; Baltimore, 3.

In the League: At Boston—Boston, 8; Pittsburg, 3. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 15; Chicago, 5. At New York—New York, 4; Indianapolis, 1. Rain at Washington.

To-Morrow's Game.

The Browns and Athletics will arrive in town in the morning, and in the afternoon at Sporteman's Park will continue their great fight for championship honors. Each team has won five games, and the three games to be played commencing to-morrow, will witness the grandest struggle seen on the diamond this season. It will be battle to the death and the team that carries off the honors will only do it after the hardest kind of a fight. The Athletics are without question the hardest team of hitters in the profession, and when they once guage a pitcher's delivery it is "all day" with him. They expect to take revenge on King, who will face them to-morrow. Seward will officiate for the Athletics, and as he has always proven a stumbling block he will, no doubt, again keep the champions guessing. To-morrow's game will inaugurate the 25-cent admission rate, which continues in force for the next twelve games. President Von der Ahe forced it through, and the lovers of the game should show their appreciation of the reduction by turning out big. Herman Doescher will make his first appearance here this season as umpire. Play will be called at 4 p. m., with the nines as follows:

St. Louis.	Position.	Athletics.
Lyons	Center field	Carl Welch
White	Short stop	Bill Gleason
King	Pitcher	Seward
Milligan	Catcher	Robinson
Comiskey	First base	Larkin
Robinson	Second base	Bauer
Latham	Third base	Lyons
O'Neill	Left field	Stovey
McCarthy	Right field	Poorman

Boston Signs Hines and Higgins.

BOSTON, Mass., August 9.—Hines and Higgins were signed by President Soden for the Boston Ball Club this morning. The Directors have notified O'Rourke and Kluaman that they will be released, the former on account of unsatisfactory work and habits, and the latter on account of the defect in his arm.

Grand-Stand Chat.

Welcome home the champions to-morrow.

O'Neill has again found his Canadian tree and is batting the ball hard and often.

White is playing better than he did when he joined the Browns. He is also hitting well.

Tom Dolan will probably do some catching during the next twelve games. He is in splendid trim.

Oh, 'tis excellent to have the "giant's" strength, but 'tis tough on the Boston nine.—[Boston *Herald*.

The champions come home better off than they left home. They are better fortified in the lead and are now nearer the flag.

Thirty-five cents admission fee will be charged for each of the next twelve games beginning with the Athletics to-morrow.

New York has played more errorless games than any other League team. The Athletics excel the Association clubs in this respect.

Dave Foutz is getting back to his old pitching form. He is doing well too, at first base, so Brooklyn will not miss Orr to any extent.

In Rio Janeiro they occasionally play our game, but the Brazilian way of it is to have the bases and Indians are hired to do it for them.

The games scheduled for Kansas City for September 11, 12 and 13 have been changed to Cincinnati for September 10, 11 and 12 by permission.

George Smith, who promised to do great work for Brooklyn this year, is falling off rapidly. His fielding is poor enough, but his batting—oh!

The Athletic games which open to-morrow should draw immense crowds. The Browns and Athletics will probably fight it out for first place this year.

Should the New Yorks win the pennant what a "brainy, skillful" manager Mutrie will be in the estimation of those who have been wont to call him a "dub."

Instead of paying 75 cents to the grand stand now, the patrons of Sportsman's Park pay the old price of 50 cents. President Von der Ahe is responsible for the reduction.

Beckley, in thirty games, made 33 runs and 40 base hits, leading the Athletics at the bat with an average of .328. His fielding average is .935. Thus he is not only their best batter, but also the best fielder.

We have seen considerable base ball slang, but this from the Binghampton *Leader*, in description of a game, leads the list—"The foe then took a hack at the lumber, but they went out in a cluster."—[*Exchange*.

The reason the Browns will not play the Cincinnatis the postponed game due in Cincinnati is because there is plenty of time to play it before the season ends. At present the Browns are not doing the "cricket" act in helping Cincinnati win the championship by contributing to the swelled list of games transferred to their grounds. If the Cincinnatis think the Browns are afraid of them let them play the postponed game in St. Louis for all there is in it. The Browns would wipe up the earth with them.

A tall, lean man, with cavernous eyes, was in the box for the Chicago team yesterday afternoon. It was evident that he had not been picked before he was ripe. His height is greater than that of Whitney, Buffaton, Mack or Healy. He is a head taller than "Scissors" Pyle. There is but little meat on his bones. His waist is as narrow as a raisin box. It begins at Harlem and runs below Castle Garden. His arms are long and brown. This was William Mains of Davenport, Io. He was signed by Anson early this week, and pitched his maiden game in the League yesterday. And could he pitch? Like a house a-fire."—[Chicago *Herald*.

What has Robinson of the Browns done to deserve such a roasting? Only a couple of weeks ago the Cincinnati *Enquirer* extolled Robby to the skies as the greatest general player in the profession. Now it goes for him savagely as follows: "Robinson is, in the opinion of different Association umpires and managers, the 'trickiest' or, in other words, the 'dirtiest' ball player in the country. Talk about Jack Glasscock's tricky work; he is not a 'marker' to Robinson. The St. Louis man will give a runner the 'leg' or 'shoulder,' block him off a base, or do anything to prevent him from advancing. What makes his 'dirty' work effective is that he does it so nicely that he is rarely called down by the umpire."

CROOKED TURF WORK.

A Man With a History is Ruled Off the Chicago Track.

From the Chicago Tribune.

For several days the judges at the West Side race track have been watching the movements of a couple of owners and their jockeys, and have been pursuing a quiet investigation of the running of horses started by the owners in question. The suspected stables were those of G. D. Doremus and the McFarland stable, the latter trained and managed by J. W. Jacobs. Yesterday Doremus had Walker in the second race, a selling event of three-quarters of a mile. Sloane was up. A few days ago Doremus started Lomax, and that horse was made the favorite. Lomax got a bad send-off and the starter complained that the rider kept the animal from getting away with the others. Yesterday the judges had their glasses on Walker at the post and noted every movement Sloane made with him. He was left at the post, but not in a manner satisfactory to the judges. When Sloane got around he was called into the stand and questioned. Starter Gilman entered a complaint against him for having deliberately pulled his horse up, but the complaint was not necessary, the judges having agreed that the horse had been pulled up. The judges notified Ed Corrigan of the result of their observations. They were told to do as they pleased. The Secretary was accordingly directed to notify Jacobs and Doremus to take their horses off the grounds, and the Jockeys Sloane and Etchercek were suspended for thirty days.

Jacobs is an old trotting and pacing horse driver. He drove the trotter Observer in the 2:26-race at Dexter Park, July 21 and 23, 1878, and local patrons of the trotting turf, especially the Stock Yards contingent, will remember him while memory lasts. Dexter Park was then next to the Stock-Yards, of which it is now a part. The Stock Yards people saw Observer in his work and thought him invincible. Even now some persons assert that Observer went faster at Dexter Park than any other trotter has ever gone. In the race W. H. Doble, father of Budd Doble, timed him a quarter in 29 seconds, and another less experienced timer caught the same quarter in 28½s. The starters in the race were Clementine, Observer, Tanner Boy, Bertie, Lady Byron, Mollie Morris and Snowball. The competing animals were Observer and Clementine, the latter driven by Budd Doble. The stock yards people were so sanguine of the success of Observer that a scheming trotting-horse man who died a few years ago observed a chance to make a lot of money by "nxing" the race. One of the judges of the race was let into the scheme, and when his consent to jet the job "go through" was obtained the scheme was unfolded to Jacobs. That worthy agreed to pull for a certain amount and let the managers have all they could make out of the pools. The amount was paid. There was no occasion to fix Budd Doble, for it was understood that he would drive to win under all circumstances, but other drivers who had no chance to win were given the tip to get a few pools on Clementine and help her to win. Then a well-known man-about-town, at that time a patron of trotting and now identified with racing, was selected to place the money on Clementine. The stock-yards people bet him $100 to $25 so often that he weakened, and another "capitalist" had to be found to carry out the job. Four heats were trotted on a heavy track July 21, and Observer and Clementine each won two. The next day at noon the horses were called for the final heat. Observer was still a hot favorite, but his backers clamored to have "Nosey" Brown put up behind him. When the word was given the race Observer immediately broke. He lost twenty lengths on the first quarter, and then dashed along the backstretch in a burst of speed that electrified all beholders. It was the fight through that second quarter that Doble, Sr., timed in 29 seconds. At the head of the homestretch Observer was up with Clementine, and his backers were shouting wildly. Then he broke again and dropped out of the race. It was announced that he "threw a shoe," but nobody saw the shoe or the bare foot. A few days after the race the man who put up the scheme said, "I fixed that old rascal Thursday, and Friday before starting for the deciding heat he made me settle a second time. I had to fix the stand and I got a man to play the race, and he quit because he had the best of it, and the other side was betting him $100 to $25. I'll bet there never was another case like that." Secretary Morse of the National Trotting Association is authority for the statement that the judge who stood in with the job received $1,500 for his services. By telling Jacobs to shake the dust of the West Side track from the shoes of himself and horses the management of that course has endeared itself to the veteran turf patrons of the Stock Yards.

Running Races.

The winners yesterday at Saratoga were Elmira, Minnie Palmer, Bessie June, King Crab, Ban Yan.

The winners at Brighton Beach were Orlando, Charley Russell, J. J. Healy, Bertie W. colt, Supervisor, Monmouth.

Laura Gardner's Fast Time.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., August 9.—At the Agricultural Park yesterday the mile and a quarter race was won by Laura Gardner by a nose in 2:07¼, being the best record for the distance on the Pacific Coast, and within a quarter of a second of the fastest time on record.

Turf Notes.

Geraldine has gone lame.

It has been decided to turn Esquiman out for the season.

Auricoma will not start in the Junior stakes at Monmouth Saturday.

Buddhist has not been exercised since he pulled up lame. His trainer, Rodgers, expects to bring him around all right, however.

Mr. William Astor has instructed Mr. Easton to sell his entire lot of yearlings, numbering sixteen, the first week in September.

Pinto was kicked in the off hind leg in the first race at Brighton Monday and pulled up lame. He will not be able to run for some time.

Bryant is confident Proctor Knott will win the Junior Champion stakes at Monmouth Saturday and the Futurity at Sheepshead September 8.

Early in September Mr. William Easton will sell at auction all of Mrs. G. L. Lorillard's horses in training. Her yearlings will also be sold at about the same time.

A complaint was made to the judges at Saratoga that Jockey Stoval had pulled the horse Kentucky Ban in a race there last week. Stoval was thereupon suspended for thirty days. A thirty days' suspension for pulling a horse is something laughable to contemplate, and as many good judges who saw the race claim that Stoval did his best, it is only reasonable to suppose that the poor fellow was suspended because some one made a complaint against him. Now he has been reinstated, but that seems rather a poor reparation.

Greenwood the Champion.

According to special agreement, Wells, the hill climber of Philadelphia, was permitted to to make an attempt to beat Hal Greenwood's time at Kinswick, the trial to be made yesterday at Eagle Rock, N. J. Greenwood's time was 7:08 4-5. In case Wells should equal that time a third race was to have been ridden. In case he failed, then the gold medal and the championship would pass to Greenwood. Wells failed and the match, medal and title are thereby the property of Greenwood.

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Cattle Quarantined.

DECATUR, Ill., August 9.—Dr. J. F. Reid, Assistant Veterinarian, has quarantined sixty-two head of native and Southern cattle in Blantic Township, this county. The cattle have the Texas fever and were inoculated by cattle brought here in June from Mississippi.

Second Week of BRANDT'S
MIDSUMMER CLEARING SALE.

Laird, Schober & Mitchell's Imperial Kid Hand Turn Button Boot, Reduced from $5.00 to $3.50

Ladies' French Vamp, imperial quarter, Hand-Turn Button Boot, Reduced from $4.50 to $3.00

Ladies' Kid Vamp, Kangaroo Top, patent leather tip, Button Boot, Reduced from $4.50 to $3.00

Ladies' Light Kangaroo Top, Curso Kid Vamp, Button Boots, Reduced from $3.50 to $2.50

Ladies' Cloth Top Button Boot, with Curso Kid Vamp, Reduced from $2.50 to $1.75

400 pairs Curso Kid Button Boots, with PATENT LEATHER TIP, Reduced from $2.50 to $1.50

An assortment of Button, Congress and Old Ladies' Bals (soiled), Reduced from $1.50, $2 to $1.00

Ladies' French Kid Patent Leather Oxfords, Edisons and Low Button, Reduced from $4 & $3.50 to $3.00

Ladies' Curso Kid Opera Slippers, XIV. heel, Reduced from $2.50 to $2.00

Ladies' French Kid Slippers, French or low heel, Reduced from $2.25 to $1.75

Ladies' Kid Oxfords, Edison, Low Button and Fancy Slippers, Reduced from $2.00 to $1.50

Misses' Curso Kid Oxfords, and Low Button.... Reduced from $2 to $1.50

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800 pairs Misses' Low Button and Opera Slippers, turn, Reduced from $1.00 to 75c

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Stacy's Calf Prince Alberts, plain Opera Toe, Reduced from $4.00 to $3.00

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TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Sam F. Williams and his 6-year-old daughter were crushed to death in Madison County, Ark., by a falling tree.

H. M. Wallington, a prominent Birmingham (Ala.) attorney, has left the town with about $2,000 of embezzled money.

Dr. W. H. Helmsman, his wife and grandson, were fatally injured in a runaway accident at their home in Owensboro, Ky.

Wm. Graff, ex-Treasurer of San Juan County, Cal., shot and killed himself yesterday with a revolver. It is not known whether he did it by accident or intentionally.

John Benedict, an old citizen of Creighton, Neb., who had been missing from his home since Monday, was found dead yesterday near a pond in the vicinity, he having evidently taken poison.

Shelby F. Parke of Perrysville, Ind., yesterday shot and killed Dr. H. H. Peyton of the same place, having discovered that Peyton hod become unduly intimate with Mrs. Parke, a young woman of 19 years.

S. H. Miller, 80 years of age, while crossing the railroad track at Chariton, Io., was struck by a locomotive and carried on the pilot for fully half a mile before being thrown off by a curve in the track and killed. The engineer did not see him.

The planing-mill of C. Lee, on the river front at Saginaw City, Mich., took fire yesterday, and from it the flames spread for half a mile along the river, destroying about $500,000 worth of mill property and sixteen dwelling-houses.

Sam Bain, a Birmingham (Ala.) negro thug, was killed by another negro named Dick Hamilton, whom he was trying to rob. Bain had shot Hamilton and thought him unconscious, and was just searching him when Hamilton shot him with fatal effect.

Hon. Wm. G. Stewart, President of the Dubuque County Bank, was fatally injured at his country place yesterday. As he was entering his barn the wind blew the door against him, throwing him quite a distance and inflicting injuries from which he cannot recover.

A colored girl named Chaney Burt, whose father was murdered in Edgefield County S. C., confessed yesterday that a man named Dan Graham had killed the old man with a base ball bat, while she and four others were standing by, and that the entire party helped to bury the old man and conceal the crime.

Cressie Coombs, a 7-year-old boy at Delphos, O., while playing with his father's pistol, accidentally shot himself in the abdomen. His mother hearing the shot and being ignorant of where the bullet struck, whipped the boy for playing with the pistol. Without a word about his injury the child went to an upper room in the house and was found three hours later in a dying condition.

THE MODEL'S third grand excursion came in on time to-day at 10:05, over the M. P. R. R., from Chamois, Mo., taking in all the intermediate stations. It was an enjoyable affair and reflects great credit upon the management of this enterprising clothing-house. Several hundred persons were on board the train, and it is needless to say they all visited "The Model" before leaving the city, much to their profit and enjoyments. The New Haven Brass Band accompanied the excursionists. The Model will give another excursion in a few days.

LOCAL NEWS.

A man giving his name as Louis Harter of Webster, made his appearance at the Third District Police station last night and stated that he had been robbed of $21.60 in Clabber alley.

Henry Altshuh, a boy 15 years of age employed by the Southern Street Railway Co., while driving a horse on Ninth and Bates streets last evening, was kicked in the face and seriously injured.

The waiters at the Commercial Restaurant, commonly called the Beanery, struck yesterday evening because the proprietor would not discharge one of their number whom they accuse of being a hoodoo.

William Gasken of 312 North Main street was robbed of some money and a gold watch and chain last night near his home by three negroes. One of them, a man named Alexander Ferguson, was arrested.

Benjamin Allgood cut Charles Thomas at 5 o'clock last evening on the Levee. One wound was in the cheek and another in the arm. Neither was serious. Thomas was sent to his home, 1230 North Seventh street.

C. R. Reiss, a blind man aged 50 years and living in the West End was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with attempting to criminally assault his daughter Ida, aged 18 years. He was released on $1,500 bond. He denied the charge emphatically and says the child was induced to make it by an older daughter, whom he put out of the house.

The report in the POST-DISPATCH last evening that John Kimmer of 1520 Menard street had attempted suicide in East St. Louis was confirmed later. Kimmer put a 22-caliber revolver to his breast in the Cairo Short Line yards and discharged it. The bullet entered just below the heart. Despondency caused by the loss of a 7-year-old daughter recently is assigned as the cause of his act. His condition is precarious.

HEINKELL'S Tetter Ointment cured the wife of G. W. Whitfield, DeKalb, Tex., of skin diseases on the face of eight years duration.

Dangerous to Refuse a Drink.

By Telegraph to the POST-DISPATCH.

NEW YORK, August 9.—A serious stabbing affray occurred yesterday afternoon in Furman street, Brooklyn. Wm. Melatosh, aged 26, a sailor on the bark Alexandria, lying at Prentisse's store, went ashore with some other sailors, and in Furman street they met a party of Italians, who wanted the sailors to drink with them in a neighboring groggery. The sailors refused, and a general fight ensued, in which McIntosh was cut with a razor in the chest, back and right hand. He was seriously hurt, and was taken to the Long Island College Hospital. The man who wounded him was Vin Bronnias of No. 233 East One Hundred and Eleventh street, New York. He and two of his companions were arrested.

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